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KING ALFRED

## Gardenville Bulb Growers

MONROE, WASHINGTON



A portion  
of our  
planting  
of  
more than  
100 acres  
of  
Daffodils.

## *Greetings from our new home at Monroe, Washington*

For the last fifteen years our bulbs have been grown on a ranch adjacent to Fort Lewis, Washington. At the beginning of this emergency Uncle Sam needed our land to expand his army. Even then our Tulip fields were visited now and then by an artillery shell that had over-shot its target.

Last summer we dug all the bulbs, millions of them, packed up our equipment and moved seventy miles north to Monroe.

Now we greet you from a new farm, located in the Snohomish River Valley, one of the most productive areas in the Puget Sound country. Here we have 500 acres of rich black soil that is making one of the best crops we have had in thirty-two years.

This fertile soil; with a humid atmosphere; gentle abundant rains, which, after falling, seep quickly through the ground; and growing temperatures that are mild, make this one of the best spots in the world for growing bulbs. Added to these natural advantages are the combined experiences of our growers to produce bulbs of exceptional quality.

Only the most perfect bulbs are selected to fill your orders—bulbs at the height of their life cycle—to send

forth their loveliest flowers in your garden. They are indeed the cream of our crop.

The Narcissus and Daffodils are selected No. 1 bulbs, every one of which will give you one or two prize flowers. The Tulips are Top Size bulbs, chosen to give the longest life and the finest blooms in your beds.

All bulbs are guaranteed true to name, free from disease or pests, and to arrive in good condition. If they do not give complete satisfaction please advise us at once.

Bulbs planted in the fall will give your garden spring's gayest colors from the first Crocus to the last Iris. What a relief these brilliant blossoms bring after the long, drab winter months.

Now is the time to plan and plant your garden for spring. Send your order early while there is a complete selection of varieties available.

Each page you turn lists and illustrates the very best varieties obtainable in each classification, arrived at after careful trial and selection. From time to time you will find tempting collections from which you may make your own choice.

These selections can be made with full assurance quality has not been sacrificed for price.



# Large Trumpet Daffodils

POSTPAID—Finest Selected No. 1 Bulbs

THE most charming flowers of any spring garden are the Daffodils and Narcissus and every beautiful garden will have them planted freely. They thrive in practically any climate in the United States. Considering their beauty, their long life and the small amount of labor necessary to their culture, Daffodils are the most economical of all bulbs to plant.

Their graceful forms, beautifully shaped trumpets and cups and long straight stems have made them favorites for cut flower purposes with every American gardener.

You will find many novelties listed under their proper classification. These have been carefully selected, not alone for their beauty, but also for vigor of growth, and growing popularity, which is proof of their excellence. Most of them have received Awards of Merit at the English flower shows where blossoms are subjected to the keenest competition. Start a Daffodil collection by adding at least one of these fine new things each year.

The relative time of flowering outdoors of the different varieties is indicated by the numbers in brackets, (1) being the earliest and (6) the latest.

## KING ALFRED

Of all the Daffodils this grand monarch is the most popular and best known. It is **THE** commercial Daffodil of **Today**. More "Alfreds" are grown and sold than any other variety. It is the one you see most in florist shops and greenhouses.

Its rich, lustrous, golden yellow is the color we love to associate with Daffodils. The square shouldered perianth and deeply frilled trumpet though large are refined in appearance and beautifully proportioned. These lovely flowers holding themselves proudly erect top sturdy tall 24-inch stems and rise above handsome blue-green foliage. Also they are long lasting both as cut flowers and in the garden. As a plant it is extremely vigorous. In short, King Alfred gives the greatest Daffodil satisfaction and without it no collection would be complete.

It is to the garden of today that which Emperor was in the past and what Fortune will be in the future. The parade passes on but **TODAY KING ALFRED** is supreme.

This lovely Daffodil is offered at these reasonable post-paid prices:

6 bulbs	.....\$ .80
12 bulbs	..... 1.35
25 bulbs	..... 2.60
50 bulbs	..... 5.00
100 bulbs	..... 9.00
500 bulbs	..... 40.00
1000 bulbs	..... 75.00

KING ALFRED



AEROLITE (YELLOW TRUMPET)



BEERSHEBA (WHITE TRUMPET)



EMPEROR (YELLOW TRUMPET)

**Aerolite** (3) (Yellow Trumpet) (See illustration). A large new daffodil with broad overlapping perianth and bright yellow trumpet of elegant form. Flowers are very long lasting. Height 20 in. **15c each, 3 bulbs 40c, \$1.45 doz.**

**Beersheba** (2) (White Trumpet) (See illustration) is in every respect pure white. It is truly a great flower and far ahead of any other white Daffodil. It has a really magnificent perianth; perfectly flat and standing at right angles to the trumpet. The segments are long and overlapping, yet beautifully clean cut and pointed, forming a great bold clear cut star. When seen growing in company with other Daffodils the outstanding purity of its whiteness is most striking, while its beautiful lines and stately carriage give it a serene loveliness that compels unqualified homage. It is a very free bloomer, grows with extreme vigor, and is quite early while its splendid parchment-like substance enables it to last an amazing time. Beersheba is a large flower growing up to 5 inches in diameter with a height of 21 inches. It has been awarded a medal as the best flower in the London Daffodil show of the Royal Horticultural Society as well as other awards. **\$1.75 each, 3 bulbs \$5.00.**

**Cleopatra** (4) (Yellow Trumpet) (See illustration). A splendid flower that has won many awards, and is well known everywhere. It is a beautiful large flowered Daffodil with broad overlapping lemon-yellow perianth and bold trumpet of light yellow. Equally suited for pot culture or the flower border. Very late. Height 18 in. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **15c each, 3 bulbs 40c, \$1.45 doz.**

**Diotima** (1) (Yellow Trumpet) (See illustration). This new variety is not only early but is the largest of the trumpet daffodils. The flower is well proportioned and is carried gracefully on tall 24-inch stems. The broad overlapping petals form a star-shaped perianth of medium deep primrose. The trumpet being slightly deeper in color. Award of Merit. **60c each, 3 bulbs \$1.75, \$6.00 doz.**

**Duke of Bedford** (2) (Bi-color Trumpet). This glorious Daffodil is one of the finest bi-colors. Its handsome flower measures 4½ inches across; perianth broad and pure white and the trumpet clear soft yellow; of fine substance. Height, 18 in. Add this beauty to your collection. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Emperor** (3) (Yellow Trumpet) (See illustration). This well known favorite has a perianth of deep primrose, with trumpet rich full yellow. Fine bedding variety and forces well. Height 21 inches. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Golden Harvest** (1) (Yellow Trumpet). This very early and extremely fine Daffodil has been called the Giant of Giants because of its extremely large flower. The trumpet, a deep golden yellow, has well overlapping petals of clear yellow. An early forcing variety. **75c each, 3 for \$2.00.**

**King Alfred** (2) (Yellow Trumpet) (See illustration on page 4). The king of the Daffodils. Very large and sturdy. Rich golden-yellow flowers. Curved and fluted trumpet and broad, beautifully twisted petals. Splendid for cut flowers. Height 24 inches. First Class Certificate, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Minister Talma** (2) (Yellow Trumpet). This giant Daffodil of golden yellow has a massive trumpet with a deeply frilled mouth. Is one of the earliest flowers to force or flower in the garden. Height 18 in. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**



SILVANITE (BI-COLOR TRUMPET)



DIOTIMA (YELLOW TRUMPET)

**Mrs. E. H. Krelage** (4) (White Trumpet). Sometimes called the white "King Alfred". The most exquisite of all the large white Daffodils. It is a splendid garden variety with creamy white perianth of good substance, soft primrose trumpet rolled back at brim. Height 16 in. Award of Merit and First Class Certificate, R. H. S. **25c each, 3 bulbs 65c, \$2.35 doz.**

**Nanus** (1). A charming miniature yellow trumpet Daffodil, flowers rich full yellow, very tiny and early, a gem for the rock garden. Height 4½ in. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

Redlands, Calif.  
Sept. 29, 1941.

*I wish to thank you for the very fine collection of Conspicuous Daffodils I received last year. For the first time in my life I had all I wanted to pick.*

Mrs. John Hinkle.



SPRING GLORY (BI-COLOR TRUMPET)

ROBERT SYDENHAM (YELLOW TRUMPET)



**Olympia** (3) (Yellow Trumpet) (See illustration). A very large flower with campanulate canary-yellow perianth and a very bold, rich-yellow trumpet with wide expanded brim. An improved and glorified Emperor. Height 17 inches. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Robert Sydenham** (3) (Yellow Trumpet) (See illustration). A magnificent large, bold, yellow trumpet Daffodil of splendid form and substance. The superb, outstanding, heavily frilled trumpet is beautiful golden-yellow backed by a symmetrical, overlapping, flat perianth of sulphur yellow. To this is added length of stem and quality of foliage. Height 24 in. **15c each, 3 bulbs 40c, \$1.55 doz.**

**Silvanite** (2) (Bi-color Trumpet) (See illustration). A striking new variety with broad overlapping petals of creamy white, and light canary yellow trumpet. It is a strong grower, yet graceful in habit. **35c each, 3 bulbs \$1.00, \$3.95 doz.**

**Spring Glory** (2) (Bi-color Trumpet) (See illustration). Broad, pure white perianth; large and long yellow trumpet with reflexed brim; excellent stem. A favorite for the garden and for forcing. Height 22 in. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

**Victoria** (3) (Bi-color Trumpet). A large and erect flower well formed and of fine proportions; broad creamy white perianth, coming pure white when forced; trumpet clear yellow, large, broad and of great substance. Fine for outdoor mass planting, and for growing in pots in the house. Height 16 in. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

NO ORDERS UNDER \$1.00 ARE ACCEPTED

## ARISTOCRATIC COLLECTION I.

Ten varieties are offered in collection form at a substantial saving, postpaid.

**Robert Sydenham**, all-yellow trumpet.

**Silvanite**, fine bicolor trumpet.

**Francisca Drake**, white petals, yellow-orange cup.

**John Evelyn**, white perianth, beautiful cup.

**Red Cross**, yellow petals, red crown.

**White Nile**, pure white.

**Firetail**, pure white Barrii with red eye.

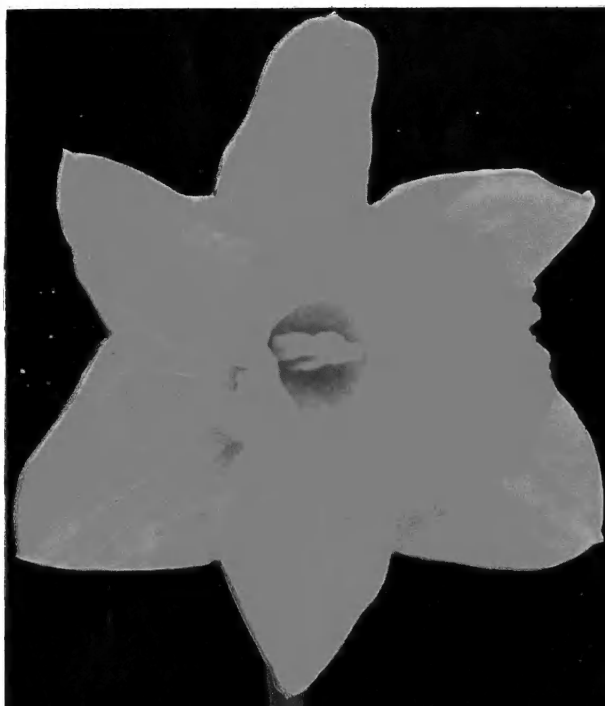
**Mrs. Barclay**, creamy yellow petals, flat yellow cup.

**Solfatare**, white petals, primrose trumpet.

**Mary Copeland**, cream white and orange double.

1 each, 10 kinds (10 bulbs).....	\$ 2.25
3 each, 10 kinds (30 bulbs).....	6.50
6 each, 10 kinds (60 bulbs).....	12.50
12 each, 10 kinds (120 bulbs).....	24.00

OLYMPIA (YELLOW TRUMPET)



CLEOPATRA (YELLOW TRUMPET)





# Medium Trumpet Daffodils

## Giant Incomparabilis and Giant Leedsii

POSTPAID—Finest Selected No. 1 Bulbs

The greatest advancement in Daffodils in recent years has been in the Incomparabilis, Barrii and Leedsii types. To overlook the new forms and colors in these divisions is to deprive yourself of the finer things in Daffodils. The trend is entirely towards these more refined, tasteful, decorative varieties.

As a whole the flowers of this section are not as large as the Trumpet Daffodils but are much larger than the small flowered varieties. However, some of the Incomparabilis and Leedsii like Fortune, Solfatare and Lucinius are larger than many of the Trumpets.

FORTUNE  
(GIANT  
INCOMPARABILIS)

**Carlton** (2) (Incomparabilis) (See illustration). A fine clear self yellow variety of great size; flat overlapping perianth and large expanded crown frilled at brim. A magnificent plant of great vigor. Our illustration does not do it justice. This is one of the varieties increasing in popularity. Height 20 inches. Award of Merit, First Class Certificate. **60c each, 3 bulbs \$1.75, \$6.00 doz.**

## Fortune — The Most Brilliant Early Flowering Daffodil

The immediate and overwhelming acceptance by Daffodil lovers abroad, assure this flower first place in popularity when bulbs become plentiful.

Fortune is undoubtedly the finest thing in the Daffodil world, lovely in form, attractive in color, a good strong grower, with its flower held tall and nobly erect.

Fortune is a Giant Incomparabilis of largest size, perfect form, and gorgeous color, borne on a 24-inch stem. Its grand

flat overlapping perianth of great substance is clear brilliant yellow, with a very large and long bold crown of wonderful coppery red-orange. Vigorous and of good constitution. A remarkable feature of this gorgeous flower is its extreme earliness.

At flower shows it has been a consistent winner, having received First Class Certificate at Birmingham, London and Haarlem.

Get your start of this fine variety now!

**\$2.00 each, 3 bulbs \$5.50, \$20.00 per dozen.**





CROESUS (INCOMPARABILIS)

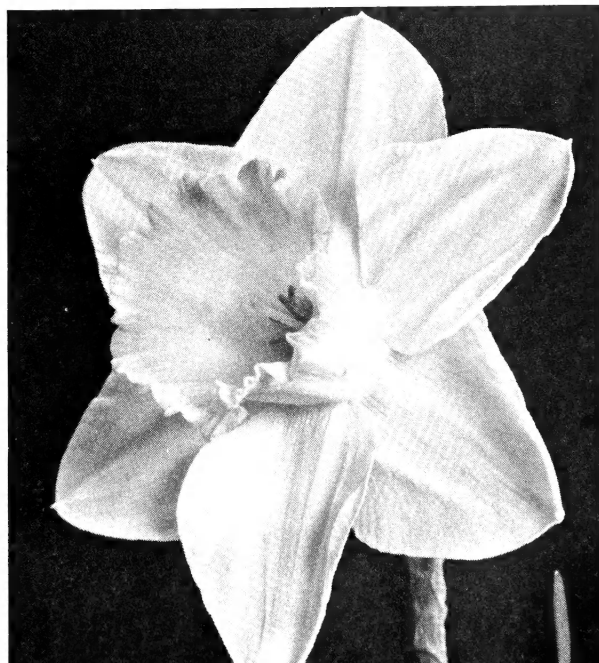
**Croesus** (4) (Incomparabilis) (See illustration). A very fine flower of great substance with large, rounded and overlapping pale primrose perianth and a wide expanded crown of deep red. Height 23 inches. Award of Merit and F.C.C., R.H.S. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Daisy Schaffer** (3) (Giant Leedsii) (See illustration). One of the best of the remarkable new Giant Leedsii type; the flower 4½ inches across, with cup nearly 2 inches, resembles a Giant Trumpet, but much more graceful in form; perianth pure white, with cup opening primrose and turning to light canary-yellow, deeper at the base. Long lemon-yellow stigma and styles add to the color harmony of this remarkable flower; undoubtedly a leader for years to come. Height 20 in. Award of Merit, First Class Certificate. **\$3.00 each.**

**Dick Wellband** (3) (Incomparabilis) (See illustration). One of the good ones in this class. A strong grower and exceptionally free flowering. The perianth is pure white and the cup flaming orange. In this startling contrast between petals and cup lies its great beauty, and makes it stand out in any collection of daffodils. One of its remarkable qualities is that the color does not fade but rather intensifies with age. The flower lasts unusually long. Award of Merit. **75c each, 3 bulbs \$2.00, \$7.50 doz.**

**Francisca Drake** (3) (Incomparabilis) (See illustration). This is an unusual flower of rare beauty. The pure white perianth petals, of unusual substance, are tinted gold at the base, which show through on the outside; the cup, wide and deep, is golden yellow at the base, changing gradually to flame orange at the densely frilled edge; the flowers are held well above the foliage and give the effect of a flock of white seagulls in flight; strong grower and very free flowering. Award of Merit. **20c each, 3 for 55c, \$2.00 doz., \$15.00 per 100.**

DAISY SCHAFER (GIANT LEEDSII)



*Tyler, Texas  
Nov. 10, 1941.*

*I am delighted with all my bulbs purchased from you this year, as well as those of last year. The flowers came, every one true to illustration and description in your catalog.*

*Mrs. Caroline Bourg.*

*Portland, Ore.  
Nov. 13, 1941.*

*Last fall I ordered eight pounds of daffodils and Narcissus for naturalizing from you and the result was most satisfactory.*

*Mrs. T. J. Ferguson.*

*Tillamook, Ore.  
July 31, 1941.*

*I got one bulb of Beersheba last fall and hope I did enjoy it this spring, although I thought I was going to be terribly disappointed when it started to bloom as it of course had that yellowish tint, but as it bleached out when mature I picked it and it lasted for a week before it began to fade. It is truly beautiful.*

*Mrs. Bess E. Wells.*

*Vinalhaven, Maine  
Oct. 20, 1941.*

*I was very much pleased with the last bulbs I recently received from you and hope to have good results and thank you.*

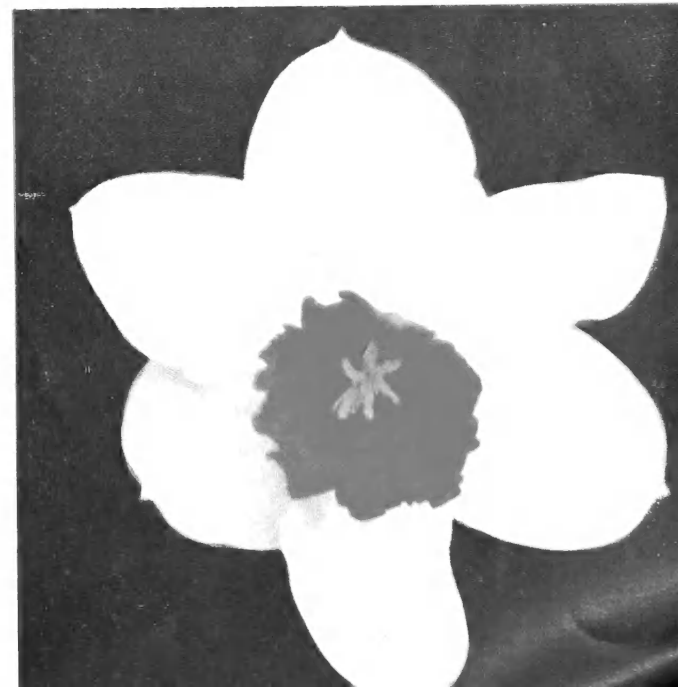
*Mrs. W. R. Lane.*



DICK WELLBAND (INCOMPARABILIS)



CARLTON (INCOMPARABILIS)  
FRANCISCA DRAKE (INCOMPARABILIS)





JOHN EVELYN (INCOMPARABILIS)



HELIOS (INCOMPARABILIS)



RED CROSS (INCOMPARABILIS)



LUCINIUS (INCOMPARABILIS)

**Great Warley** (3) (Incomparabilis). This large and handsome flower deserves to be in every collection. Its perianth is white, broad and massive with a large crown of clear yellow measuring 1½ inches across. Height 18 in. First Class Certificate, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

**Helios** (2) (Incomparabilis) (See illustration). A most refined and beautiful flower of good form and poise. The buttery-yellow perianth is of good substance. The large crown of deep yellow, deepening to orange with age, is

expanded and frilled at mouth. Height 18 in. Early. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.20 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**John Evelyn** (2) (Incomparabilis) (See illustration). One of the finest Daffodils of the present day and a perfect show flower of exceptionally fine substance. The very large, much overlapping perianth of creamy white stretches 4 to 5 inches across, with a very wide flat cup of lemon yellow nearly 2 inches in diameter, densely and beautifully frilled. The individuality of John Evelyn is found in this unusual and most attractive cup. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

**Lucinius** (3) (Incomparabilis) (See illustration). A large lovely all-yellow flower with broad, overlapping perianth, borne on tall stiff stem. One of the best in its class. Height 20 in. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.20 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Mitylene** (3-4) (Giant Leedsii). A grand and most striking show flower quite distinct from other Leedsii, and a really magnificent garden plant; tall, vigorous, free of bloom and increase. Very large, having broad, rounded, much overlapping pure white perianth of great substance and beautiful quality. Large, wide and shallow smooth saucer-shaped crown of cardboard-like substance and palest primrose color fading to almost cream. Mitylene has received many awards at English Daffodil shows. **75c each, 3 bulbs \$2.00, \$7.50 doz.**

**Mrs. R. O. Backhouse** (3) (Giant Leedsii) (See illustration, page 9). This is the famous "Pink Daffodil". Fine informal perianth of ivory white and beautifully proportioned slim long trumpet of apricot-pink, changing to shell pink at the deeply fringed edge. On opening the trumpet has the appearance of pale yellow, but as the flower unfolds the color changes to delicate pink which becomes more pronounced as the flower ages. Height 20 in. **\$1.50 each, 3 bulbs \$4.25.**

(Continued on page 9.)

## CHALICE FLOWERED COLLECTION II.

### TEN VARIETIES

All charming either for groups in the border or cut flowers in the home. Each variety carefully labeled and packed. Postpaid.

**Bath's Flame.** Deep yellow Barrii.

**Campernelle Rugulosus.** Deep yellow jonquil.

**Croesus.** Primrose petals with deep red crown.

**Dante.** White poeticus.

**Diana Kasner.** White petals, large fluted yellow cup.

**Helios.** Butter yellow petals, crown deep yellow.

**Lucinius.** All-yellow Incomparabilis.

**Profusion.** White poetaz.

**Torch.** Yellow with red cup.

**Whitewell.** White with primrose crown.

3 bulbs each 10 varieties (20 bulbs).....	\$ 2.60
6 bulbs each 10 varieties (50 bulbs).....	5.00
12 bulbs each 10 varieties (120 bulbs).....	9.00
25 bulbs each 10 varieties (250 bulbs).....	17.00



# DAFFODILS BY THE POUND

We have surplus stocks of many splendid varieties of Daffodil and Narcissus bulbs for which we will not have space to replant this year. Sometimes a few trays of bulbs become mixed. All these are put into this mixture.

Most of the bulbs are field-run stock of various sizes and shapes, the kind we plant to grow next year's crop. They are all clean and healthy. Most all of them will bloom the first year. There are huge Trumpet Daffodils, medium Trumpet varieties and small flowered Narcissi in many combinations of color.

You will have many fine blossoms for cutting, over a period of several weeks.

## A REAL BARGAIN

5 pounds .....	\$ 3.00
10 pounds .....	5.00
22 pounds .....	10.00
60 pounds .....	25.00

## POSTPAID

Average 10 to 15 bulbs to the pound.  
Order early to insure the best varieties.

## POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS

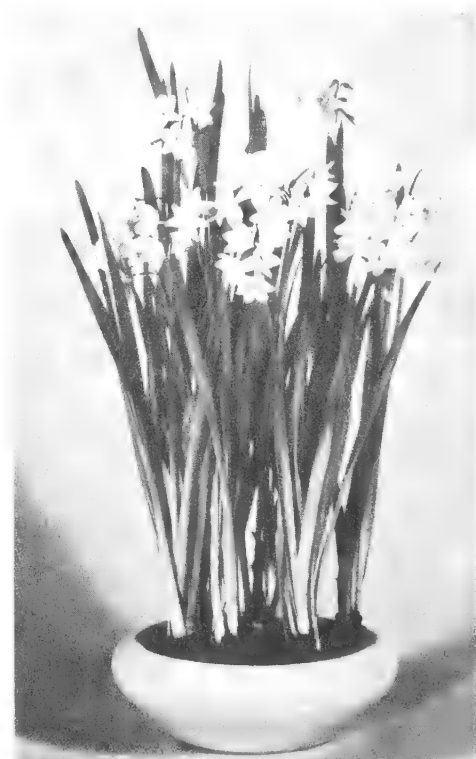
These are the varieties most extensively used for growing in pebbles or fibre and water to flower indoors throughout the winter. They produce clusters of fragrant flowers and are not recommended for outdoor planting except in mild climates.

The bulbs may be forced to bloom from Christmas until Easter. For earliest flowers plant the bulbs as soon as received and place the bowls in a dark cool place free from frost. When well rooted they may be taken into heat. The milder the temperature the finer the flowers. For a succession of bloom plant at intervals of two weeks, keeping unplanted bulbs in a dry place of living room temperature. The water requires changing occasionally and a little charcoal added to the water helps to keep it fresh. Early planted bulbs require longer to root. Planted after December, they root very quickly. Soleil d'Or will give the best results if not brought into heat until the buds start to rise.

**Chinese Sacred Lily** (Southern grown). Large clusters of white flowers with yellow cups. Heavily scented. Very easily grown in bowls. **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.50 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

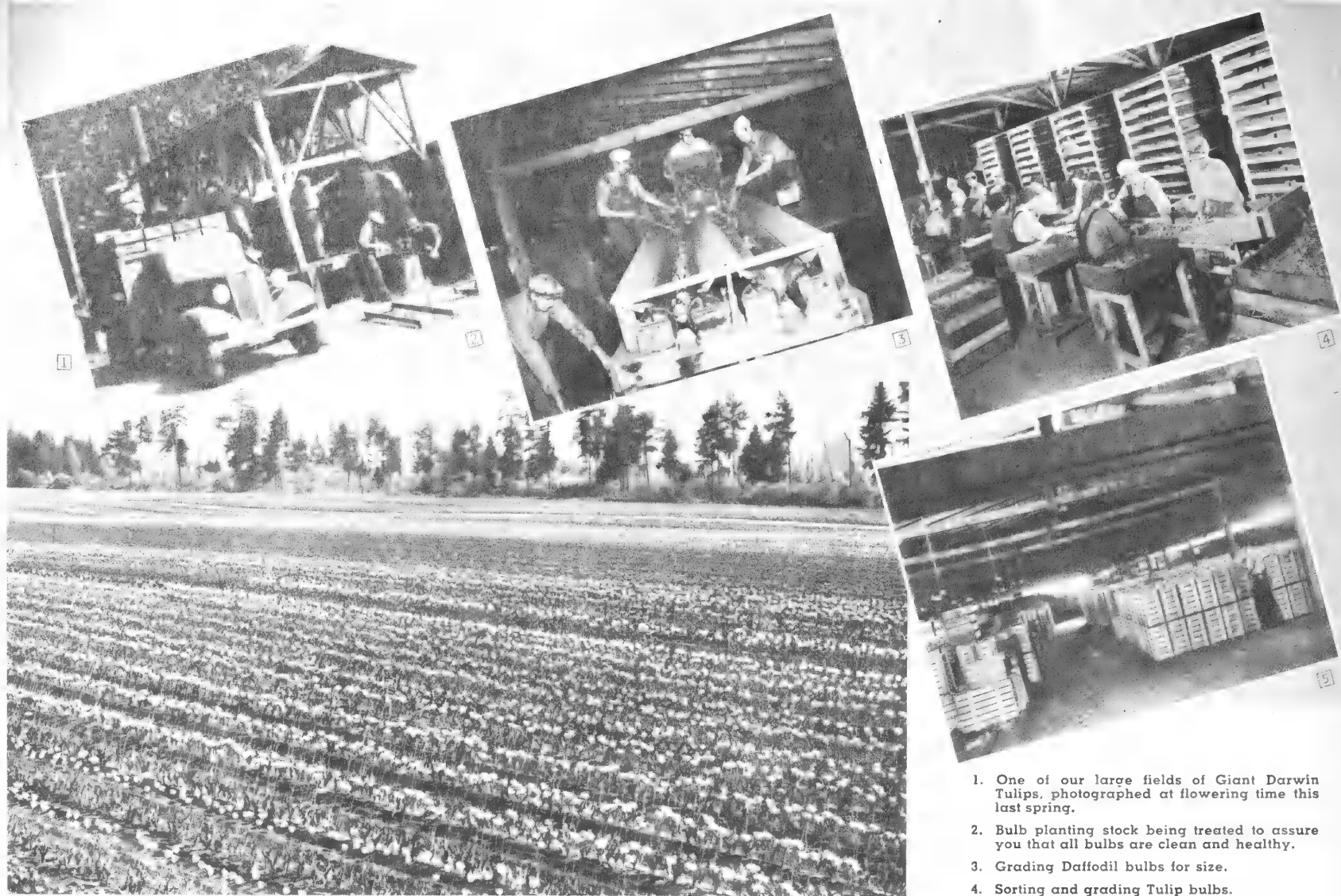
**Grand Soleil d'Or** (Southern grown). Large clusters of dark yellow flowers with bright orange cups. Tall growing and vigorous. Extensively used for forcing. **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.50 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

**Paper-White Grandiflora** (Southern grown) (See illustration). The most popular for forcing in pebbles and water. Large clusters of pure white fragrant flowers. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**



PAPER WHITE NARCISSUS





1. One of our large fields of Giant Darwin Tulips, photographed at flowering time this last spring.
2. Bulb planting stock being treated to assure you that all bulbs are clean and healthy.
3. Grading Daffodil bulbs for size.
4. Sorting and grading Tulip bulbs.
5. Crated bulbs in curing house, ready for shipment.

## DAFFODIL CLASSIFICATION

The following brief descriptions are given for those wishing to be more familiar with the different classes of Daffodils.

NARCISSUS is the family name and all types and kinds may be correctly called NARCISSUS. However, in common usage the large flowered kinds—Trumpets, Incomparabilis, Giant Leedsii and Doubles—are called DAFFODILS. The small flowered types—Barrii, Small Crowned Leedsii, Poetaz and Poeticus, are called NARCISSUS. The JONQUILS belong to a particular class having deep green, almost round, rush-like foliage, from which it gets its name, and with flowers that are small, clustered and deep buttercup yellow. Trumpet daffodils are mistakenly called Jonquils by many.

The flowers are formed by two principal parts. The outer petals are called the perianth. The central portion is called trumpet, cup, crown, or eye, according to its size. This central portion is the most variable part and its length and size, for the most part, determine the class into which the flower falls.

1. TRUMPET (Daffodils) in which the trumpets are as long or longer than the perianth petals. The three sub-sections, Yellow, White and Bi-color, are represented by the varieties King Alfred, Beersheba and Silvanite. See pages 3, 4 and 5.

2. INCOMPARABILIS (Daffodils). The length of the trumpet or cup is shorter than in the Trumpet class. It measures from one-third to nearly the length of the petals. The two sub-sections of Yellow and Bi-color are represented by Fortune and John Evelyn. See pages 6 and 8.

3. BARRII (Narcissus). The cup or crown measures less than one-third of the length of the petals. The sub-sections of Yellow and Bi-color are represented by Bath's Flame and Firetail. See page 10.

4. LEEDSII has two sub-sections.

GIANT LEEDSII (Daffodils) could be well classed as White Incomparabilis. The petals are white with the cup white, cream, or pale citron. Example, Solfatare. See page 9.

SMALL CROWNED LEEDSII (Narcissus) could be well classed as a White Barrii. The petals are white with the crown white, cream or pale citron.

5. TRIANDRUS HYBRIDS (Narcissus) are represented by Moonshine and Thalia. See page 12.

6. CYCLAMINEUS HYBRIDS (Narcissus) are represented by February Gold. See page 13.

7. JONQUILS and JONQUIL HYBRIDS (Jonquils). Stems are smooth, round, deep green, and the leaves are almost round and rush-like. The flowers are deep buttercup yellow, sweet scented and bunch-flowered, i. e., several smaller flowers on one stem. Example, Campenelle Rugulosus. See page 13.

8. POETAZ (Narcissus). Of the bunch-flowered type. The flowers have white or pale yellow petals and cups of pale citron, yellow or red. These are the hardy varieties of Tazetta. Example, Laurens Koster. See page 12.

8. TAZETTA (Narcissus). Poetaz and Tazetta belong to the same class but we have separated them because most of the Tazetta varieties are tender and can be grown out-of-doors only in very mild climates. In the north they are used for forcing. Examples, Chinese Sacred Lily, Soleil d'Or and Paper White. See page A.

9. POETICUS (Narcissus). The Poet's Narcissus. Single white flowers with eyes of red, yellow or red and green. Actaea and Cassandra are good examples. See page 10.

10. DOUBLES (Daffodils). All the varieties having double flowers fall in this class. Example, Mary Copeland. See page 11.

11. VARIOUS (Narcissus). Types that do not fit in any of the foregoing classes are placed here. They are mostly wild forms of Narcissus. Example, Bulbocodium. See page 13.



St. Joseph, Mo.  
Oct. 22, 1941.

*I am delighted with  
my last order of daffo-  
dils.*

Miss Frances Tooley.

Shelbyville, Tenn.  
Oct. 20, 1941.

*Your bulbs have proven  
so satisfactory to me.*

Mrs. B. D. Kingree.



SOLFATARE (GIANT LEEDSII)



MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE (GIANT LEEDSII)

## Medium Trumpet Daffodils--Continued

**Red Cross** (4) (Giant Incomparabilis) (See illustration). This splendid flower is very large and of perfect form. The soft yellow perianth is very flat and overlapping. The large expanded crown is of deep orange shading down to golden orange at center. Substantial, long lasting and a splendid exhibition and garden variety. Red Cross is similar in style to Fortune, Fortune being earlier with the color of its crown much deeper and more intense. First Class Certificate, Haarlem. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

**Silver Star** (Giant Leedsii) (See illustration). Of outstanding beauty, and worthy to be in every garden. Perfect broad-petaled star-shaped perianth of pure cream-white, with finely proportioned, wide mouth trumpet of primrose, changing to cream-white, just a shade deeper than perianth. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

**Sir Watkin** (2) (Incomparabilis). Perianth primrose-yellow; large and well-formed deep yellow cup. Long stemmed. A giant among the medium-crowned varieties. Height 21 in. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 25c, 85c doz., \$6.00 per 100.**

**Solfatare** (3) (Giant Leedsii) (See illustration). This flower is so large it is used by many as a White Trumpet Daffodil. Very large bold flower with broad, white, overlapping perianth and very large, broad crown of creamy primrose, beautifully frilled at margin. A fine variety for bowls. Height 20 in. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

**Torch** (3) (Incomparabilis). The large and deep orange cup is the outstanding feature of this good looking Daffodil, whose star-shaped yellow perianth is very broad. A free flowering, tall, vigorous grower. Height 20 in. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Tunis** (3) (Giant Leedsii) (See illustration). A large, tall, robust growing Leedsii of most distinct character and great lasting substance. Broad, waved, creamy white petals; large expanded frilled crown opening primrose and rapidly developing to creamy white, retaining a remarkable flush of pale coppery gold at the edge. Height 25 in. First Class Cert., R. H. S. **50c each, 3 bulbs \$1.35, \$5.00 doz.**

**White Nile** (2-3) (Giant Leedsii). On first opening the crown is very pale lemon, but the whole flower soon passes to absolutely pure white. It has a most beautifully formed even flat overlapping perianth of fine substance, 4 inches across, standing at right angles to the large crown, which is of perfect shape and finish, nicely ruffled at the brim. A most aristocratic and altogether lovely flower. Tall, vigorous and free of increase. Height 20 in. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **45c each, 3 bulbs \$1.20, \$4.50 doz.**

**Whitewell** (4) (Incomparabilis). Pure white, broad petaled perianth, of good substance, and a large expanded crown of deep primrose with orange edges, prettily fluted and frilled. Height 18 in. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**



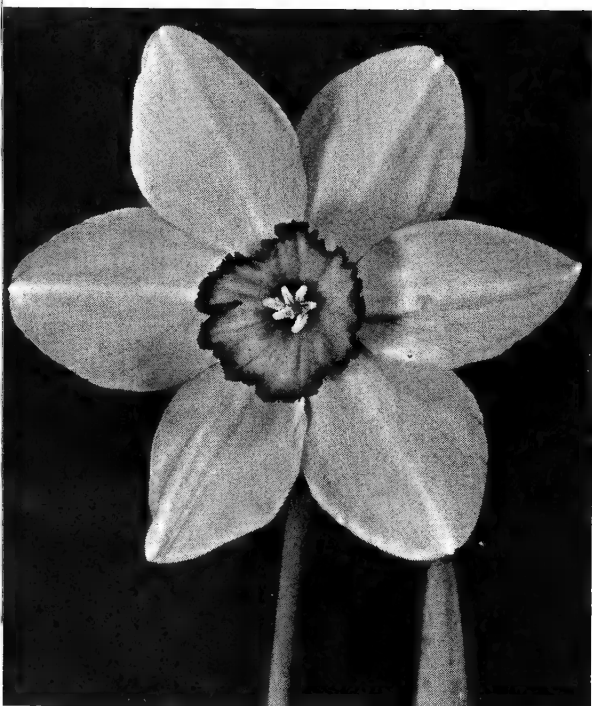
SILVER STAR (GIANT LEEDSII)  
TUNIS (GIANT LEEDSII)



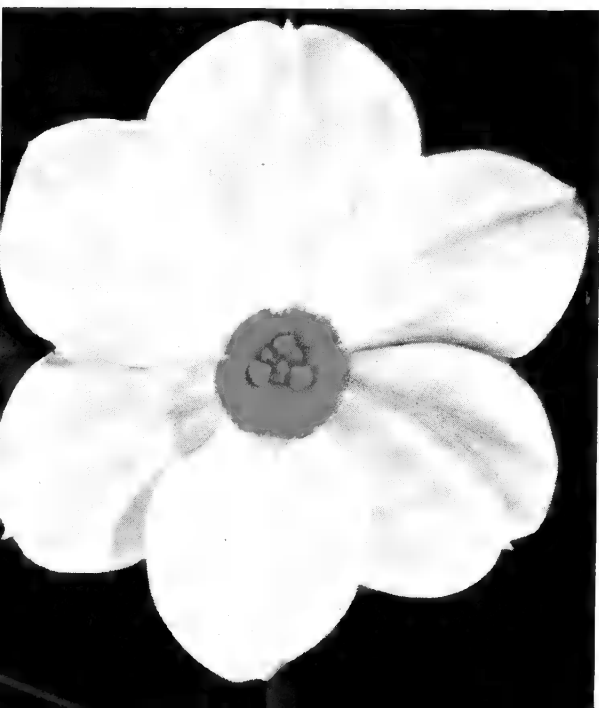


FIRETAIL (BARRII)

BATH'S FLAME (BARRII)



ACTAEA (POETICUS)



Washington, D. C.

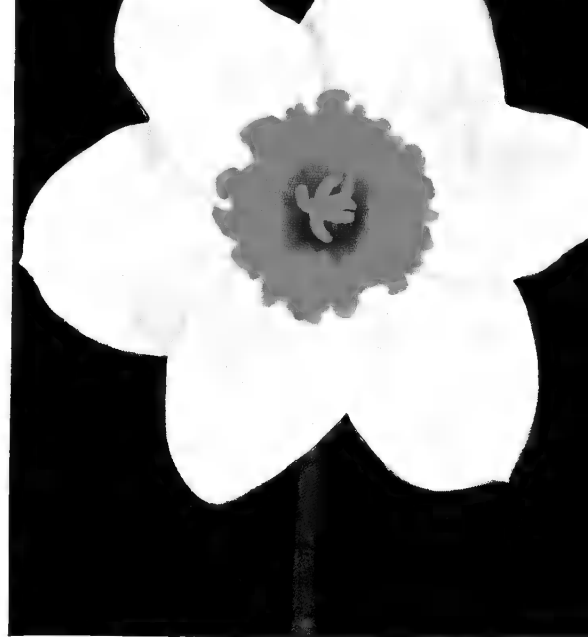
*Bulbs ordered of you years ago have been very satisfactory and each year they are truly beautiful.*

Mrs. F. Waldman.

New Orleans, La.  
July 21, 1941.

*I was delighted with the bulbs I ordered last fall and am looking forward to next spring with pleasure, as I know what to expect from your fine bulbs.*

Miss J. M. Loeb.



DIANA KASNER (BARRII)

## Small Flowered Daffodils

POSTPAID—Finest Selected No. 1 Bulbs

The large flowered Daffodils are very well for bold showy appearance in the garden, but when it comes to indoors and the closer and more intimate association, the small flowered varieties are by far to be preferred. They are more tasteful and charming for table decoration, and make up for their size in refinement and abundance of bloom. The small flowered Daffodils are more generally called Narcissus and Jonquils.

### Barrii

**Bath's Flame** (4) (See illustration). A splendid large flowered Barrii with deep yellow perianth supporting cup of darker yellow deeply edged blazing orange-red. Award of Merit, R. H. S. 20 in. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Diana Kasner** (4) (See illustration). This variety is highly recommended for show purposes. It flowers freely in the garden as well as being a good forcer. The perianth is pure white and the large fluted yellow cup has a blood-red frill. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Firetail** (4) (See illustration). This is the finest red-eyed Barrii yet seen, and is a really great flower. Large spreading and overlapping ivory-white perianth of much substance, and flat crinkled crown of richest blazing solid red which lasts exceptionally well. Very tall, 24 inches is common. A most vigorous grower and profuse bloomer. Firetail looks like a glorified Poeticus, but is a strong growing Barrii. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **25c each, 3 bulbs 70c, \$2.50 doz.**

**Mrs. Barclay** (3) is a very fine and pleasing Barrii. (See illustration.) The flower is large and has well-formed overlapping petals of pale primrose changing to pure white. The flat bright yellow crown is edged bright orange-scarlet. It is extremely showy and a great favorite in the garden. Height 20 inches. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

### Poeticus

**Actaea** (See illustration). The largest Poeticus in existence. Broad snow-white petals of great substance and good form. The very large eye is broadly margined with dark red. A beautiful exhibition flower. **30c each, 3 bulbs 80c, \$3.00 per doz.**

**Cassandra** (4). A flower of fine form and substance, with broad, clear white perianth and a small eye deeply rimmed dark red. A fine border variety and one of the largest of the Poeticus. Height 17 in. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 25c, 90c doz., \$6.50 per 100.**

**Dante** (4). Very much larger and finer than the old varieties of Poeticus. Large snow-white petals with orange cup edged scarlet. First Class Certificate, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 25c, 90c doz., \$6.50 per 100.**

**Recurvus** (6). The old Pheasant's Eye. Perianth pure white, somewhat reflexing; cup margined deep scarlet. Very fragrant; one of the latest to bloom. Height 15 in. **3 bulbs 25c, 90c doz., \$6.50 per 100.**

Piedmont, Calif.  
July 10, 1941.

*I had 5,000 of your daffodil bulbs when I lived in Pennsylvania and was much pleased with them.*

Dr. R. Oldfield.

Augusta, Maine  
June 9, 1941.

*I received from your gardens 500 Daffodils three years ago and they are as beautiful this year as the first.*

Maude C. Jackson.



IRENE COPELAND



MARY COPELAND

## Double Daffodils

**Irene Copeland** (3) (See illustration). The most outstanding of the fine new doubles. It is distinctive, very full, with a general color effect of ivory-white, although interspersed with narrow primrose petals. The well formed flower has a queenly erect bearing. May be forced. Award of Merit, R. H. S. Height 18 in. **50c each, 3 bulbs \$1.35, \$5.00 doz.**

**Mary Copeland** (4) (See illustration). One of the most famous Daffodils of the new semi-double type. This variety has been termed the most striking double in cultivation. The longer petals are pure cream white interspersed with shorter petals of lemon and brilliant orange. Height 20 in. Award of Merit. **35c each, 3 bulbs \$1.00, \$3.75 doz.**

**Texas** (4) (See illustration). One of the new varieties. Very large and very double, with six separate rows of petals. The alternate layers of pale yellow are interfilled with shorter petals of deep orange. The flowers, of striking appearance, often measure 4 inches across and are carried on 20-inch stems. Award of Merit. **\$1.50 each, 3 bulbs \$4.25.**

**Twink** (2) (See illustration) is a double of a semi-full type, the petals alternating a soft primrose and clear orange, and so arranged to give the flower a most attractive appearance. Twink is early, hardy, free flowering and a fine border plant. Height 20 in. **15c each, 3 bulbs 40c, \$1.50 doz.**



TEXAS

MRS. BARCLAY (BARRII)



### Sterling Collection of Daffodils III.

Selected from varieties of sterling worth for longer season and different types of bloom.

#### 10 VARIETIES

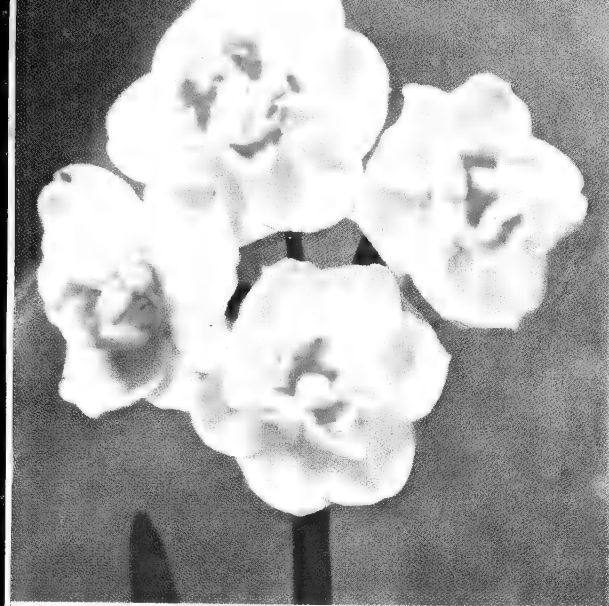
**Great Warley**, white with yellow cup.  
**Lucinius**, all yellow.  
**Torch**, yellow with red cup.  
**King Alfred**, all-yellow trumpet.  
**Duke of Bedford**, bi-color trumpet.  
**Minister Talma**, all-yellow trumpet, early.  
**Laurens Koster**, white poetaz.  
**Whitewell**, white with primrose crown.  
**Olympia**, canary yellow petals, deep yellow trumpet.  
**Bath's Flame**, deep yellow with orange edged cup.

**3 bulbs each of 10 varieties (30 bulbs). \$ 3.00**  
**5 bulbs each of 10 varieties (50 bulbs). 4.75**  
**10 bulbs each of 10 varieties (100 bulbs). 9.00**  
**15 bulbs each of 10 varieties (150 bulbs). 12.00**

TWINK







CHEERFULNESS (POETAZ)

# Cluster Flowered Daffodils

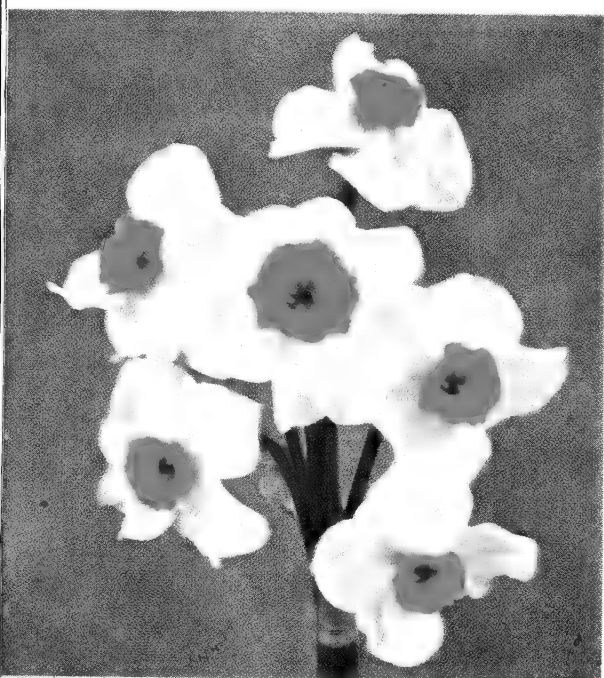
## Poetaz

**Abundance** (3). A very floriferous and excellent cut flower variety. It is early and each strong stem carries 5 to 8 large florets. Creamy yellow perianth with pure yellow cup. Award of Merit, Haarlem. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Cheerfulness** (4) (See illustration). The double Elvira, a very distinct and decorative variety. Erect stems each bearing a cluster of small blooms with broad rounded creamy white perianth petals and full double center of creamy white and yellow. Height 18 in. Award of Merit. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Laurens Koster** (3). Creamy white perianth, deliciously fragrant blooms with prettily fluted, bright golden-orange cup. Borne in clusters of 5 to 7 on a stem. Best poetaz for forcing. Height 21 in. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Orange Cup** (3). Large showy flowers with 4 to 7 florets in a cluster. Perianth petals are primrose-yellow with brilliant cups of fiery orange shading down to gold and prettily frilled. Height 15 in. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**



POETAZ NARCISSI

# Miniature Daffodils

## Triandrus and Hybrids

**Moonshine** (3) (See illustration). A beautiful Triandrus Hybrid, star-shaped creamy white flower, often three to a stem, drooping gracefully, very beautiful and a great favorite, especially for the rock garden or for naturalizing in the shade. Award of Merit. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

**Nanus** (1). A charming miniature yellow trumpet daffodil, flowers rich full yellow, very tiny and early. A gem for the rock garden. Height 4½ in. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

**Queen of Spain** (3) (See illustration). A beautiful, distinct and graceful daffodil, of a uniform, delicate canary yellow, with graceful reflexing perianth. Height 12 inches. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

**Thalia** (3) (Triandrus Hybrid), often described as the "Orchid Narcissus" is an exquisite flower of unusually pleasant appearance. It is a very fine chalice-cupped hybrid producing three to four pure white flowers per stem, making a beautiful cluster. Very suitable for the rock garden or the border. **25c each, 3 bulbs 70c, \$2.50 doz.**

**Triandrus Albus** (3) (Angels Tears) (See illustration). An exquisitely beautiful little species producing a cluster of elegant little creamy white flowers with globular cup and reflexing perianth. Height 7 in. **30c each, 3 bulbs 80c, \$3.00 doz.**

FEBRUARY GOLD  
(CYCLAMINEUS HYBRID)



MOONSHINE (TRIANDRUS HYBRID)



TRIANDRUS ALBUS  
(NARCISSUS SPECIES)



BULBOCODIUM CONSPICUUS  
(HOOP PETTICOAT)





# Cyclamineus

**February Gold** (1) (Cyclamineus Hybrid) (See illustration). Very early trumpet hybrid. Its perianth is golden yellow with a large trumpet of the same color tinged orange. Its earliness and deep color make it most desirable. **20c each, 3 bulbs 55c, \$2.00 doz.**

## Jonquils and Jonquil Hybrids

**Campernelle Rugulosus** (2) (Jonquilla). Rich yellow, fragrant flowers, two to four on a stem, with broad perianth and straight wrinkled cup; foliage rush-like. Very early. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.25 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

**Campernelle Rugulosus Plenus** (2) (Jonquilla). The double form of Campernelle Rugulosus. A very charming variety, bearing on tall graceful stems heads of fragrant double yellow flowers of elegant form. Award of Merit, R. H. S. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.25 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

**Jonquilla Flore-pleno** (5). The true old double sweet scented Jonquil produces in early May, little heads of rich yellow double flowers; very fragrant and attractive for cutting. Height 15 in. **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.25 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

**Jonquilla Simplex** (5) (See illustration). The true single sweet scented Jonquil produces in early May, charming clusters of dainty small rich yellow flowers much prized for cutting. Height 13 in. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.30 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

## The Hoop Petticoat or Medusa's Trumpet Daffodils

**Yellow Hoop Petticoat** (Bulbocodium Conspicuous) (3) (See illustration). Flowers rich golden yellow, dainty, and with rush-like foliage. Height 6 inches. It blooms from the end of February to the middle of March and prefers a sandy peat soil with a fair amount of moisture while in growth. No manure should be used. **3 bulbs 25c, 85c doz., \$6.00 per 100.**

**Large Sulphur Hoop Petticoat** (Bulbocodium Citrinus) (2). Has very beautiful pale citron flowers which are half again as large as those of the Yellow variety. Height 6 to 8 inches. The growth and foliage of these two varieties are very similar as well as their soil and moisture requirements. **3 bulbs 25c, 85c doz., \$6.00 per 100.**

NO ORDERS UNDER \$1.00 ARE ACCEPTED

*Dogue, Va., Sept. 29, 1941.*

*We feel that your stock surpasses all that we have ever obtained and are ever happy to recommend Gardenville.*

*Geo. S. Henderson.*

*Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 11, 1942.*

*I am especially fond of bulbs and these bulbs from your nursery have been lovely. I've anxiously watched them come up and grow and now they are rewarding me with their elegant and colorful blossoms.*

*Mrs. Paul A. Smith.*

## ROCK GARDEN COLLECTION IV.

Postpaid

**Nanus**, dwarf yellow trumpet.

**Queen of Spain.**

**Triandrus Albus**, white.

**Jonquilla Simplex.**

**Bulbocodium Conspicuous**, yellow.

**Moonshine.**

**Bulbocodium Citrinus**, lemon-yellow.

**February Gold.**

Eight varieties, all very lovely in the rock garden or grouped along the border.

All named and labeled.

1 bulb each of 8 varieties (8 bulbs).....	\$1.35
3 bulbs each of 8 varieties (24 bulbs).....	3.75
6 bulbs each of 8 varieties (48 bulbs).....	7.00



MOONSHINE (TRIANDRUS HYBRID)



JONQUILLA SIMPLEX



QUEEN OF SPAIN (TRIANDRUS HYBRID)



# Daffodils for Forcing

POSTPAID—Finest Top-sized Bulbs.

## Grow Bulbs Indoors

Once you have grown bulbs indoors in either pots or bulb bowls you will want them that way every winter. It is so easy to do and gives such great rewards of beauty and satisfaction. You can have them with very little trouble from January on. You may grow them in bulb fibre, soil, or water and pebbles. Full cultural directions for indoor growing together with bulb fibre in which to plant them, are sent free with each order. Extra large bulbs are selected for this purpose.

Plant only one variety in a pot. They look better and will flower more evenly.

As a general guide the Polyanthus types of Narcissus may be flowered first, then the Single Early Tulips, and the early Daffodils, followed by the late Daffodils and giant flowered Tulips. The closer the time of flowering bulbs indoors, comes to their natural blossoming time outside, the easier it is to bring them into flower. They flower quicker and easier in February and March than in January.

## Daffodil Bulbs for Forcing

**Abundance** (Poetaz). Creamy yellow perianth with pure yellow cup.

**Chaucer** (Poeticus). One of the finest poets for forcing.

**Duke of Bedford**. A splendid bi-color trumpet.

**King Alfred**. Rich golden yellow trumpet daffodil.

**Laurens Koster** (Poetaz). Creamy white perianth with bright golden orange cup.

**Minister Talma**. Fine early yellow trumpet.

10 mammoth forcing bulbs, one variety .....	\$1.35
30 mammoth forcing bulbs, 5 each of 6 varieties .....	3.75
60 mammoth forcing bulbs, 10 each of 6 varieties .....	7.00

## FORCING BULB COLLECTION V.

**SINGLE EARLY TULIPS**—Duc de Berlin, red; Spring Glory, yellow.

**GIANT DARWIN TULIPS**—Wm. Pitt, red; Wm. Copeland, lavender.

**DAFFODILS**—Minister Talmo and King Alfred, single yellow trumpets; Abundance, creamy yellow poetaz..

21 bulbs, 3 each, 7 varieties .....

35 bulbs, 5 each, 7 varieties .....

POSTPAID



# GIANT DARWIN TULIPS

ONE of the finest places in the world to grow tulips bulbs is the Puget Sound country, where our bulb farm has a most favored location. The black sandy soil gives good water drainage and the relative elevation gives perfect air drainage, two essentials for commercial success with tulips. These coupled with favorable climatic conditions and careful culture enable us to send you the very highest quality of bulbs.

Only finest top size bulbs are used in filling orders.

Under Giant Darwin Tulips we have grouped together the very finest of the Giant Darwins together with the best of the Giant Breeders as well as the new Hybrid Tulips. They are of the same habit of growth, tall and sturdy with large cup-shaped flowers, and are May-flowering. These tulips are in greatest demand and are the pride and glory of the spring garden.

Plant in October or November, except in the South where later planting is desirable. On heavy soils plant 5 to 6 inches deep and 6 to 7 inches on lighter types. Use a liberal amount of bone meal and see to it your beds have good drainage.

The numbers in brackets indicate the relative time of flowering. Postpaid—Finest top-sized bulbs.

**Abd-el-Kadir** (4). A fine bronze tulip with dark lilac flushes on the golden bronze of all the petals. The flower is large and well shaped, held on a tall, stout stem. A sumptuous tulip, and lovely with those of pale yellow or pale lavender. Height 30 inches. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Afterglow** (3). Large flower of good substance and unusual coloring. Deep orange suffused with salmon and salmon edge. Very beautiful and good lasting. Tall strong stems. Height 28 inches. **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Alberio** (Triumph). A tall and beautiful variety with large globular flowers of rich cerise-scarlet, with petals slightly edged flesh-pink. The color is outstanding. The stems are strong, yet graceful. An exquisitely delicate variety. Height 24". **3 bulbs 45c, \$1.50 doz., \$12.00 per 100.**

**Baronne de la Tonnaye** (3) (See illustration). Beautiful, tall, sturdy plant. Full rose color, shading to silvery-rose at margin. Splendid in masses or borders. Perfect for indoor decoration. The delicate tints of this flower will delight you. Height 30". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Copernicus**. Dark coppery bronze, flushed old rose, interior warm brown, yellow base. An incomparably splendid flower of great size. Height 27". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE







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LA TULIPE NOIRE



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## Giant Darwin Tulips--Continued

POSTPAID—Finest Top-sized Bulbs.

**Bronze Queen** (2) (See illustration). Handsome large flower of golden bronze shaded amber with faint plum bloom, inside glistening bronzy-amber. It has a shadowy beauty of its own that is most effective. A great favorite. Height 24". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**City of Haarlem** (3) (See illustration). Flowers of immense size colored bright glittering scarlet. Finest of its color in Giant Flowered Tulips. The dark violet base of this tulip, outlined in white, gives it a striking effect when open. It is admirably at home among all the light-colored spring flowers. Height 30". **3 bulbs 45c, \$1.50 doz., \$12.00 per 100.**

**Clara Butt** (3) (See illustration). This Darwin has a flower of remarkable beauty; is the most distinct pink of the Giant Flowered Tulips. Of perfect form and a lovely delicate pink flushed salmon rose. It is by far the most popular pink and is planted in immense quantity each year. Height 23". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Dillenburg** (3) (See illustration). A magnificent tulip incomparable in the glory of its coloring. The flowers, which are tremendous, are colored a marvelous sunglow-orange. Height 28". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.45 doz., \$11.00 per 100.**

**Dream** (1) (See illustration). Large cup-shaped flower, soft rosy mauve on heliotrope-colored ground with silvery edging, center electric-blue and white. Lovely delicate shade. Lasts very well. Height 27". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

PRINCESS ELIZABETH

**Duchess of Hohenberg** (2). Fine large flower borne on stout stem, bluish heliotrope with silvery margin; clear creamy white center. This magnificent flower considered best of lilac-lavender tulips. Forces well. Makes lovely beds with white Violas. Height 29". **3 bulbs 55c, \$1.75 doz., \$14.00 per 100.**

**Elizabeth Evers** (Triumph). This is a commanding variety that blooms early and long. The large fuchsia-red flower has a very soft silver suffusion. The base of the petal is white and the anthers yellow. A very strong grower. Height 22". **3 bulbs 55c, \$1.75 doz., \$14.00 per 100.**

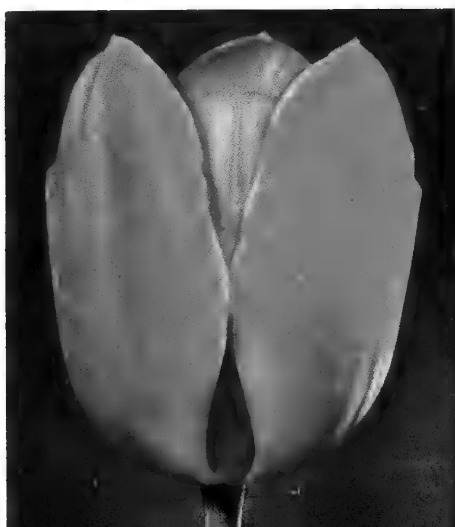
**Farncombe Sanders** (2) (See illustration). Fine large broad-petaled flower of beautiful geranium-scarlet tinged rose. Exceedingly popular. One of the most handsome. Splendid for distant effects against evergreens; one of the very best for borders. Height 30". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Flamingo** (4). One of the most beautiful tulips of clear pink, having a silvery sheen. Fine oval shape and pointed flower. Receives a warm welcome wherever shown. Recommended. Height 25". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Garibaldi** (3). Very large solid flowers, amber, rosy fawn flush, interior shading to soft rosy bronze, yellow center. Most distinct and exquisite coloring; strong grower; one of the choicest. Gorgeous in noon-light. Height 24". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Golden Bronze** (3). A remarkably handsome and beautiful variety. Large flower of lovely symmetry, is glossy golden bronze with purplish flush on outer petals. Fine for borders and groups, giving a charming effect of glittering golden bronze when sun shines over it. Height 24". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

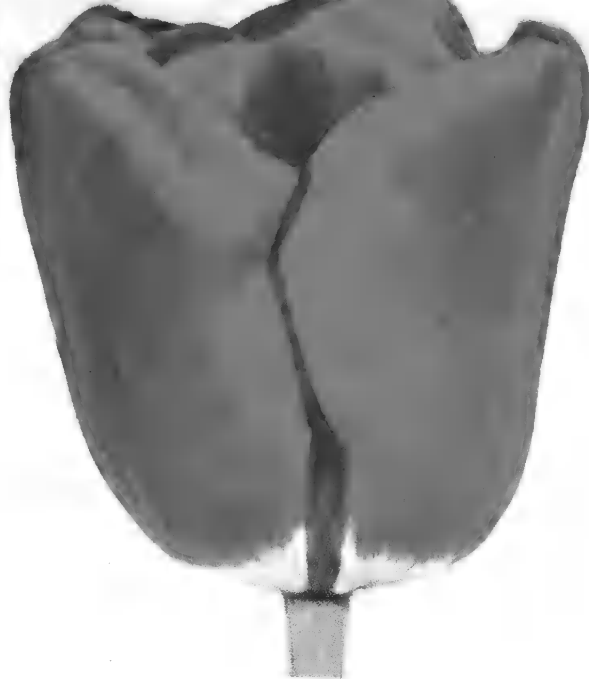
BRONZE QUEEN







BUTT



CITY OF HAARLEM



PRINCESS MARY

**Johanna** (Triumph). Exceptionally attractive, its deep salmon-pink being one of the most pleasing colors seen in tulips. The refined flower is of good size and substance and is carried on

a sturdy but graceful stem. A very fine variety for bedding. Height 22". **3 bulbs 45c, \$1.50 doz., \$12.00 per 100.**

**Kathleen Parlow** (3). A distinct shade of silvery rose-pink slightly paler at the margins and with a clear white base. The gracefully shaped flower is of imposing appearance and is carried on a tall sturdy stem. Draws immediate attention in the border. Highly recommended. Height 24". **25c each, 3 bulbs 60c, \$2.25 doz.**

**La Tulipe Noire** (3) (See illustration). The nearest approach to the so-called black tulip; deep maroon black with a velvety sheen. The darkest in the medium priced varieties. **3 bulbs 45c, \$1.50 doz., \$11.00 per 100.**

**Lucifer** (5). A variety of great brilliance with very large flowers; bright terra cotta-orange. Very refined flower, exquisite for border as well as for cutting. Sweet scented. Height 30". **3 bulbs 45c, \$1.50 doz., \$12.00 per 100.**

**Marechal Victor**. A tulip of unusual interest in color, bronze with rosy purple flush, and with a beautiful bloom over all the outer petals. The effect of a dusky texture is marked, for which reason it is uncommonly valuable for cutting. The stem is long, and the tulip well held at its top. Height 30". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

**Melicette** (3). Soft lavender, inside dark lavender-violet with beautiful blue base. A charming flower with reflexing petals. Plant among grey-leaved plants with a pale yellow tulip. Height 25". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

**Mr. Van Zijl** (3). Beautiful dark rosy pink with broad white margin; lovely bright interior, large white base. Very substantial and long lasting. A fine dark pink when forced. One of the finest novelties, highly recommended. Strong stems. Height 27". **25c each, 3 bulbs 60c, \$2.25 doz.**

**Philippe de Commynes** (2). Of fine form; lustrous dark plum with blackish sheen, very handsome, fragrant. Splendid for borders. Tall. Height 30". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Plutarchus**. Light bronze flushed with a dark pink. This is a very charming flower to grow among pale yellow Primroses, or the darker laced varieties in dusky rose color. Height 26". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Pride of Haarlem** (1) (See illustration, page 19). Brilliant rosy carmine, blue base; very large flower on tall strong stem; sweet scented. Unsurpassed for borders and massing among shrubs. Without a rival in its vivid carmine coloring. Height 30". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

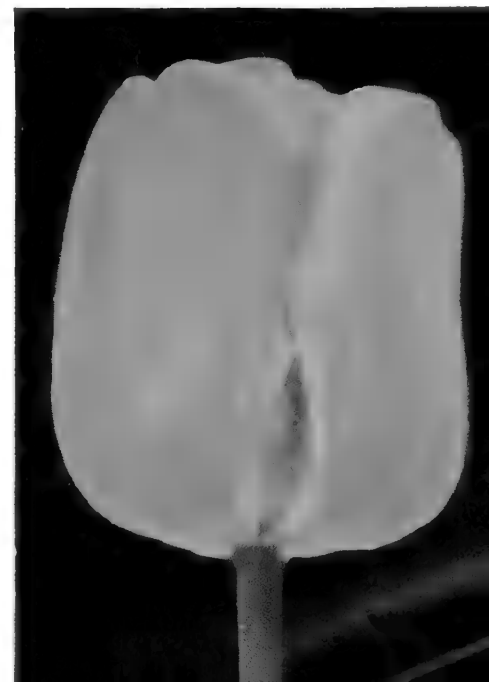
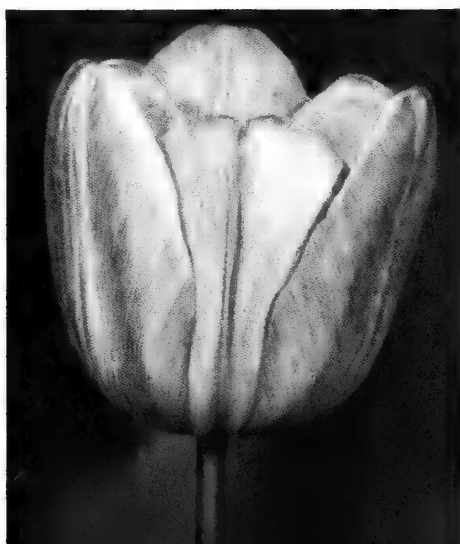
**Prince Albert** (3). Glowing mahogany-brown, shaded dull bronze, green base. Long flower with pointed petals. Splendid for the border. Height 30". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Prince of Orange** (4) (See illustration). Large, showy, well-formed flower of great substance; terra-cotta, edged orange-yellow; base yellow streaked olive, filaments olive. Among the latest varieties it is outstanding. Stands up remarkably well during warm weather; strong and sturdy. Height 26". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

FARNCOMBE SANDERS



DREAM





VICTORY



THE BISHOP

Yorkville, Ill.  
June 3, 1941.

*The Tulips and Daffodils I ordered from you last year produced splendid flowers this spring. The only mistake I made was in not ordering more.*

J. R. Marshall.

Coose Creek, Texas  
Oct. 23, 1941.

*I have just received the bulbs which I ordered from you. They were such lovely bulbs that I decided to order some more.*

Mrs. L. K. Grimes.

## Giant Darwin Tulips--Continued

**Princess Elizabeth** (3) (See illustration). Clear deep pink changing with age to rose pink, white base; large flower. One of the loveliest pink tulips. A beautiful border variety and very conspicuous against dark evergreens. Height 29". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Princess Mary** (3) (See illustration, page 17). This magnificent tall tulip has a flower of bright carmine-rose, margin of rose-pink; inside clear carmine-rose, blue base. Tallest and finest of its color. If planted in partial shade, the glorious color will show to the best advantage. Height 28". **3 bulbs 75c, \$2.75 doz., \$20.00 per 100.**

**Professor Rauwenhoff** (3) (See illustration). Bright cherry-red with scarlet glow inside; brilliant blue base. Enormous size with broad thick petals. Excellent forcer. Height 29". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Rev. H. Ewbank** (2) (See illustration). Broad erect open flower; beautiful soft heliotrope shading to dove-grey at margin, center white margined blue; lovely soft shade of color. A beautiful blending of colors may be had by planting this lovely and distinct shade of soft lavender with yellow cottage tulips. Height 25". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Roi de Siam** (4). One of the best of purple varieties, having fine large flower of very pleasing shape, rich ruby-purple with cream center. Height 33". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Rose Copeland.** Deep rose, sport of Wm. Copeland. Very early forcer. Height 24". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

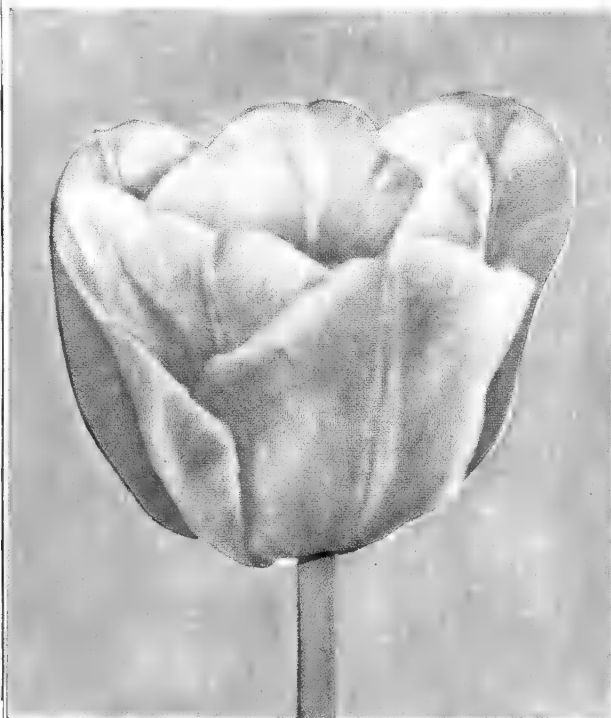
**St. James** (3). Chestnut-brown, flushed bronze, passing into gold, interior ruddy mahogany, edged golden brown, with yellow and green base. Large flower on tall stem; globular form. Strikingly beautiful tulip that we should like you to try among Forget-me-nots or white Pansies or Arabis. Will make a superb display. Height 30". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**The Bishop** (4) (See illustration). A much demanded variety. Magnificent large flower of violet blue; finest of its color; long lasting and beautiful in form. Plant in a carpet of yellow Pansies. Height 32". **30c each, 3 bulbs 75c, \$2.50 doz.**

**U. S. A. (Triumph)** (See illustration). Orange red with lighter orange edges, a very fine tulip for the border. Height 27". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

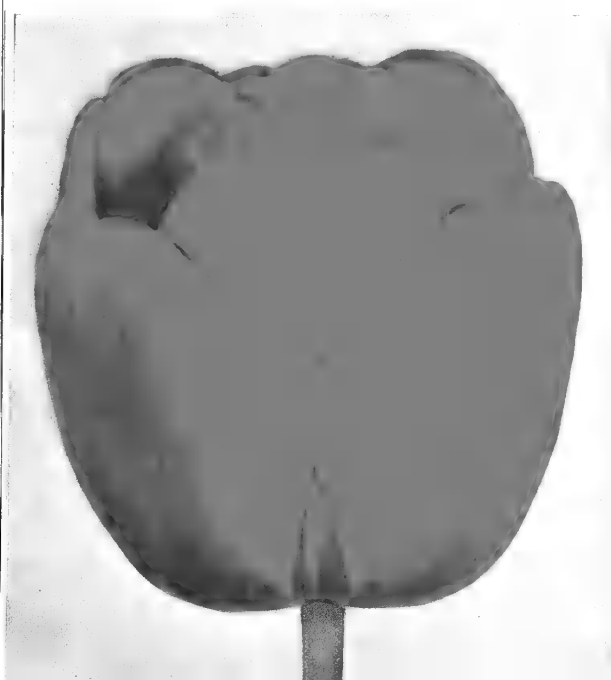
**Venus** (2) (See illustration, page 19). Loveliest of pink tulips. Large pure silvery rose; white base marked with pale blue ring; splendid form and substance. Strongly recommended for bedding. Cluster the taller spring flowers about the plantings of this tulip. Height 30". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

WM. PITT



REV. EW BANK

PROF. RAUWENHOFF



Morrisville, Pa.  
June 26, 1941.

*Last year I ordered an assortment of bulbs from your firm and are now in bloom. They are the most beautiful flowers I have ever seen.*

Mrs. Mary C. Camm.

Annville, Pa.  
June 26, 1941.

*The bulbs I got from you last fall all bloomed and were real nice. I am well pleased with them and want to order some more from you.*

George Bower.



VENUS



YELLOW GIANT

### Giant Darwin Tulips--Continued

**Victory** (See illustration). Dark red, blue black base, popular as a Valentine's Day forcer. Height 26". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

**Vulcan.** Apricot, buff-yellow edge, green center. Unlike any other tulip in color. Height 26". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

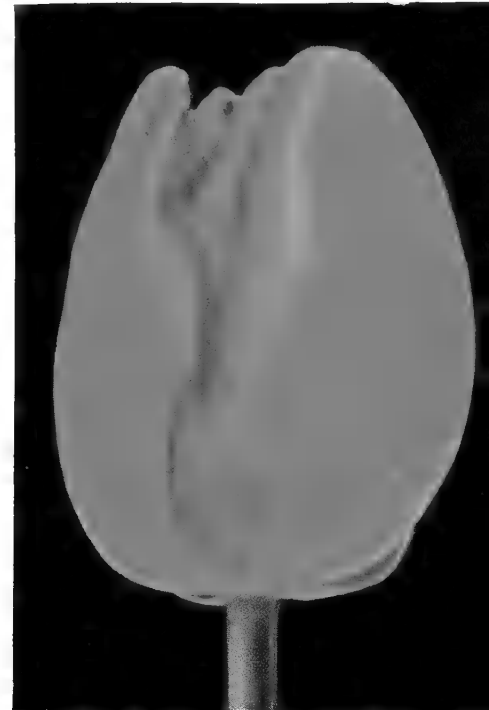
**Wm. Copeland** (2). We recommend this variety for growing in pots and forcing; flowers coming beautiful soft lavender with white center. May be forced into bloom in January. Height 26". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Wm. Pitt** (3) (See illustration, page 18). Very dark crimson with purplish bloom on outer petals; white base starred blue. Large flower of distinct color and great beauty. Splendid for outside; earliest forcing red Darwin. Height 26". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Yellow Giant** (4) (See illustration). One of the best yellow tulips and highly recommended. Its golden yellow flower is of great size carried on tall and strong stem. Blackish base, dark green. Height 30". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.45 doz., \$11.00 per 100.**

**Zulu** (3). Handsome globular flower, dark purple with black lustre, center slightly starred white; wonderfully fine variety, flower lasting long in condition. A graceful variety with pointed petals. Equally fine as a border plant or forced. Height 31". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Superb Mixture of Giant Tulips.** We highly recommend our special hand-made mixture where best results are desired in bed of mixed colors. It is made up of named sorts, many colors. **\$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100, \$70.00 per 1,000.**



U. S. A.

Laramie, Wyo. Nov. 10, 1941.

*Bulbs received from you last year gave wonderful satisfaction. I forced them in No. 10 cans and am going to repeat the process this year as bulbs are in good shape.*

Arthur J. Strouts, University Gardener.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM

PRINCE OF ORANGE



**All shipments are sent prepaid.**

*In making the low prices in this catalog it becomes necessary to omit all charge accounts and all C.O.D. shipments. We cannot fill orders below \$1.00. Please omit orders for less than 6 of a kind except where priced. Also, unless quoted, 6 or more of a variety are sold at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate.*

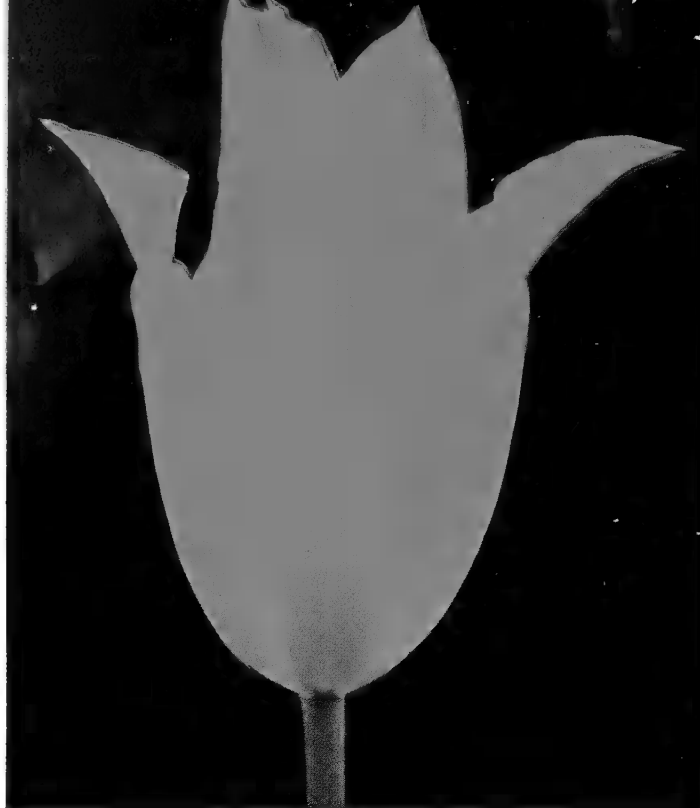
*Shipments are made beginning with September 1st. In ordering late in the season it is advisable to name a second choice. This will greatly assist in filling your order completely.*







DIDO



MRS. MOON

Chicago, Ill.  
Oct. 14, 1941.  
Tulips received.  
Again, much  
pleased.  
James Mason.

Lawrence, Kan.  
Nov. 19, 1941.  
My order of bulbs  
came in fine shape  
and I am very  
well pleased with  
them.  
Mrs. W. E.  
Beattie.

Jacksonville,  
Fla.  
Nov. 15, 1941.  
The bulbs I ordered  
last year  
bloomed beautifully  
and enjoyed  
them very much.  
Mrs. J. G.  
Rousseau



ALBINO (WHITE GIANT)

INGLEScombe YELLOW

## Cottage Garden Tulips

Cottage Tulips lend an air of distinction and appeal to every garden in which their beauty is allowed to be displayed. They give a greater range of form and shape than can be found in the Giant Flowered tulips. The long pointed and sometimes reflexing petals appear more often than the cup-shaped, which gives them added attraction.

Do not confuse the Cottage with the short stemmed early tulips. Cottage Tulips are long-stemmed, large flowered, beautiful tulips suitable for cutting or growing in the border and flower at about the same time or a little later than the Giant Flowered Darwins and Breeders. By all means plant some this fall.

We recommend for your attention the newer varieties of Cottage Tulips, all of which have large, attractive flowers and strong, stiff stems. Their popularity is increasing: Advance, Albino, Jeanne Desor.

Of the standard varieties the following are much demanded: Dido, Gesneriana Lutea, Grenadier, Mrs. Moon and Orange King.

**Albino** (2) (See illustration). Splendid and most distinct pure white. Of great size, graceful shape, solid texture. The beautiful open cup is snowy-white with golden anthers. Highly recommended for its own beauty and for contrast with colored tulips. Height 24". **3 bulbs 55c, \$1.75 doz., \$14.00 per 100.**

**Dido** (2) (See illustration). Magnificent and unusual tulip. Large and fragrant flower colored outside, orange red with carmine shade and orange shaded edges. Inside bright salmon-orange, yellow base, bordered green. This is an attention-getting variety. Height 30". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

**Ellen Willmott** (5). Long flower of elegant form, pale primrose flushed primrose-yellow, delicately fragrant. Exquisitely shaped. Height 24". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Gesneriana Lutea** (5). Rich yellow flower, fine form, and delightfully fragrant. Long pointed flower and stem that may always be cut full length, since all leaf growth clusters close at its base. Height 24". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Gesneriana Spathulata** (4). Large showy flower, glowing blood-crimson with glittering deep electric blue center. Superb variety for distant effect in beds and borders. Long graceful stems. Height 24". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

NO ORDERS UNDER \$1.00 ARE ACCEPTED

## Cottage Garden Tulips--Continued

**Grenadier** (2). A grand tulip; large well shaped flowers of dazzling orange-scarlet, yellow center marked olive green, delicately scented. Our customers said, "Grenadier called for many 'Ohs' and 'Ahs'." The most stunning tulip it is possible to plant. Height 20". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Inglescombe Pink** (3). A most lovely tulip. Large globular flowers, opening delicate rose-pink with salmon glow, passing to charming pink with silvery flush, center beautifully starred pale blue-green. A tulip planted by the million in English gardens. Height 24". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Inglescombe Yellow** (4) (See illustration). Large globular flowers of perfect form, glossy canary yellow, remarkably beautiful. Height 18". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**Jeanne Desor** (4). Fine and striking flower of great substance and one that every amateur will like. Color is deep orange-yellow, broadly margined scarlet towards edges. Cup-shaped flowers; very attractive. A late bloomer. Height 30". **3 bulbs 55c, \$1.75 doz., \$14.00 per 100.**

**John Ruskin** (3). Deep orange-salmon, edged pale yellow. Inside lilac suffused with soft rose and yellow margin. Very long flower of exquisite beauty. We recommend it highly. Height 16". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100.**

**La Merveille** (5). Orange-cherry flushed rose; deliciously scented; graceful and ideal for table decoration. Height 20". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz, \$7.00 per 100.**

**Mayflower** (2). A new introduction of domineering appearance and great merit. Splendid tulip with immense open flowers. The broad petals are lively old rose with scarlet flush. Center has blue cross-edged white. Height 30". **25c each, 3 bulbs 70c, \$2.50 per doz.**

**Moonlight** (1). Lovely soft primrose-yellow deepening towards edges. Inside rich canary-yellow, base deep yellow, yellow anthers. Very long oval-shaped flowers. Best pale yellow tulip, lovely when planted among Iris or Bleeding Hearts. Splendid for cutting. Height 25". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Mrs. Moon** (4) (See illustration). Lily-flowered rich golden yellow. Large vase-shaped flowers with narrow, pointed, reflexing petals. Of delicate fragrance. Height 28". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**Orange King** (3). Glistening deep orange, shaded rose; inside deep orange scarlet with yellow base; sweet-scented globular flowers of the most brilliant coloring. Should be in every garden. Height 24". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$9.00 per 100.**

**W. T. Ware** (4). A grand tulip, and deepest rich golden of all, flowers globular, broad petals, the three outer ones reflexing at top, very beautiful and of wonderful lasting qualities. Superb among rich purple Irises, massed against evergreens or lilacs, or springing out of large groups of Forget-me-nots or Scilla Campanulata Excelsior. Height 18". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Splendid Mixture of Cottage Tulips.** This mixture is made by hand from many lovely varieties of different colors. It will give you an abundance of cut blooms at very low cost. **\$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100, \$70.00 per 1,000.**

Whitmore Lake, Mich.  
May 31, 1941.

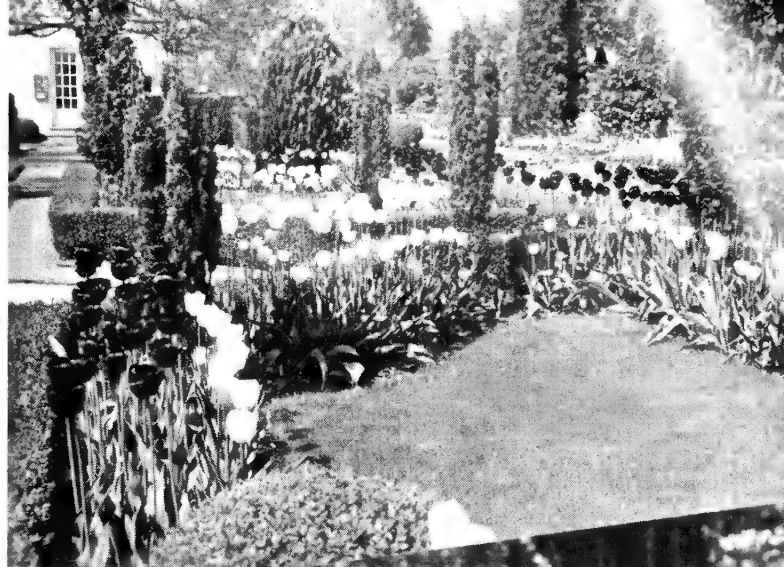
The Tulips we got from you last fall were fine, and we want more bulbs this fall.

Mrs. H. M. Quaal.

Klamath Falls, Ore.  
Oct. 28, 1941.

I received the shipment of bulbs and was very pleased with their condition.

Mrs. J. A. Daugherty.





FANTASY (PARROT)

Colville, Wash.

*I order from you each fall and your bulbs are always first class.*

Mrs. W. Lon Johnson.

Columbia, Tenn.

Aug. 2, 1941.

*Your bulbs were gorgeous last year, am hoping for good results coming spring.*

Mrs. S. Burrow.

## Lily Flowering Tulips

These belong to the Cottage Garden class but because of their distinct lily-like flowers are listed separately. Their slender stems and long curved flowers give a light, airy and graceful effect in beds and borders, and surpass in loveliness the Giant Flowered for cutting.

**Adonis** (2). Long, beautifully shaped flower; vivid rosy red. Very erect and gay. Keeps well when used for cut flowers. Height 24". **3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.**

**Maiden's Blush** (3) (Picotee) (See illustration). Flowers large; graceful recurved petals, opening primrose and passing white margined rose, very elegant. Height 24". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

**Retroflexa** (3). Effective on account of its severe and simple beauty. The stem has that slight amount of curvation which redeems it from the appearance of formality. A fresh honey-yellow, extremely beautiful. Sweetly scented. Height 20". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

**Siren** (2) (See illustration). Flowers large and open with elegantly reflexing petals, glossy rose-pink, shaded at margin silvery-white, center clear white. An enchanting flower. Height 26". **3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100.**

## Peony-Flowered Tulips

These flower at the same time as Cottage Garden Tulips and prefer a somewhat shaded position to help them carry their heavy heads upright during the hottest part of the day. Rich soil induces a greater number of petals.

**Mount Tacoma** (See illustration). A giant double glistening white tulip which reminds one of a peony in full bloom; superb for beds. Remarkable in every way. A little shade is appreciated by this tulip. **50c each, 3 bulbs \$1.40, \$5.00 doz.**

## Multi-Flowered Tulips

These interesting tulips grow a strong main stem with from 3 to 6 branches, each with its own flower. The result is 3 to 6 flowers obtained from one bulb, and they are all of good size and gracefully carried. The soil must be rich for best results.

**Monsieur Mottet** (2). Opens ivory white and later changes gradually to deep pink starting to flush from outer edges of petals. Four or five flowers carried on main stem which are in bloom at the same time. Excellent garden variety and very interesting. Height 26". **3 bulbs 40c, \$1.35 doz., \$10.00 per 100.**

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## COTTAGE GARDEN COLLECTION VI.

TEN SPLENDID VARIETIES Separately labeled—POSTPAID.

**ORANGE KING**, orange.  
**ELLEN WILLMOTT**, pale primrose.  
**GESNERIANA LUTEA**, rich yellow.  
**GRENADIER**, orange-scarlet.  
**INGLESCOMBE PINK**, pink.

**JOHN RUSKIN**, apricot-rose.  
**LA MERVEILLE**, old rose.  
**W. T. WARE**, deep yellow.  
**MOONLIGHT**, primrose-yellow.  
**PICOTEE**, white.

**3 bulbs each of 10 varieties (30 bulbs) . . . \$3.00**  
**6 bulbs each of 10 varieties (60 bulbs) . . . 5.75**

**12 bulbs each of 10 varieties (120 bulbs) \$10.00**  
**25 bulbs each of 10 varieties (250 bulbs) 17.50**

MAIDEN'S BLUSH



SIREN







MT. TACOMA (PEONY-FLOWERED TULIP)

## Single Early Tulips

These tulips flower in April, two or three weeks earlier than the other classes and are especially easy to force. Their stems do not grow tall, so they are exceedingly fine for bedding and for growing in pots indoors.

**Duc de Berlin.** Red, yellow bordered, early. 3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.

**Fred Moore (2).** An improved form of Thomas Moore. Deep ruddy apricot, shading at edges of petals to dull orange-



DUC DE BERLIN

yellow; center marked olive-green; medium sized flower; sweet scented. 3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.

**Spring Glory (2).** The finest and earliest golden yellow tulip, having very large, well shaped, bold flowers on good substantial stems. Splendid for forcing and bedding. 3 bulbs 35c, \$1.25 doz., \$8.00 per 100.

## Parrot Tulips

**Fantasy.** (See illustration.) The finest Parrot Tulip with a strong stiff stem which holds its large flower upright. Its color is a beautiful clear pink, peculiarly flaked on the outside with apple green. The petals are laciniated and the whole flower has a quaint and beautiful form. Height 18". 20c each, 3 bulbs 50c, \$2.00 doz., \$15.00 per 100.

**Mixed Parrot Tulips.** This is a mixture of the old favorites with their striking and attractive flowers. 3 bulbs 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.50 per 100.



# CROCUS

The Crocus, one of the earliest flowers of spring, occupies a deservedly prominent place in every garden. They are extremely effective, whether planted in bold groups in the grass or in broad wavy lines along the border. Plant them early. Place the top of the corms 3 to 4 inches below the surface and for finest effect an inch apart. Leave undisturbed until crowded. The following large-flowered named Crocus are some of the best in cultivation and we can confidently recommend them.

**Golden Yellow.** Fine yellow.

**Kathleen Parlow.** Largest, purest white and longer lasting.

**Pollux.** Extra large and very fine flower, darker purple than *Purpurea Grandiflora*.

**Purpurea Grandiflora.** Deep glossy purple, extra large flower.

**Queen of Blue.** Pure light lilac blue, the most beautiful of the light blues.

One variety only, top-sized bulbs, named and labeled, 85c doz., \$6.00 per 100.

CROCUS, PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA

## NAMED CROCUS COLLECTION VII.

YOUR CHOICE

6 bulbs each of 5 named varieties—	30 bulbs.....	\$2.25
12 bulbs each of 5 named varieties—	60 bulbs.....	4.25
30 bulbs each of 5 named varieties—	150 bulbs.....	9.25

## Crocus with only Colors Labeled

Purple, Yellow or Blue

One color only—75c doz., \$5.00 per 100.

Your choice of colors—4 each of 3 colors (12 bulbs) 85c.

Your choice of colors—8 each of 3 colors (24 bulbs) \$1.60.

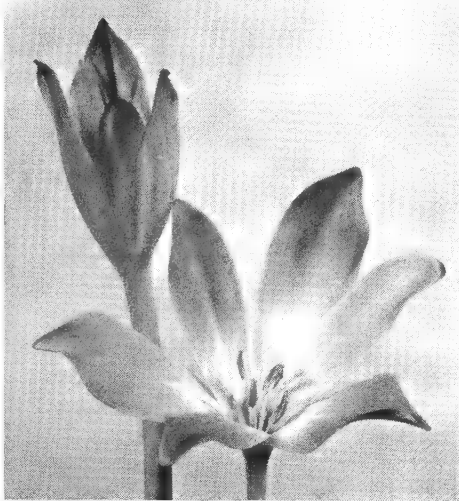
## Mixed Crocus

All colors, 60c doz, \$4.50 per 100, \$40.00 per 1000.

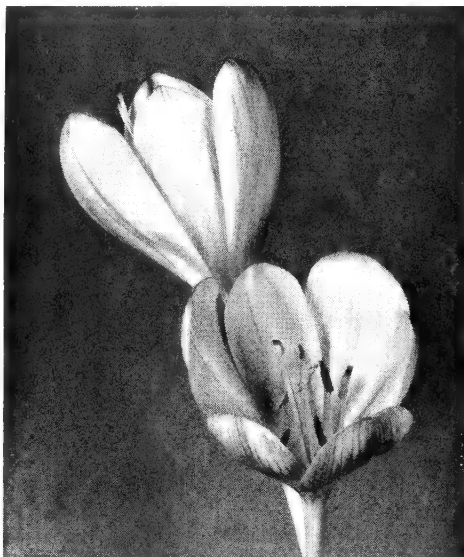
YELLOW CROCUS



# Autumn Flowering COLCHICUMS



SPECIOSUM



VIOLET QUEEN

## FLOWERING WITHOUT SOIL OR WATER

A most interesting feat of Colchicums is their ability to flower from dry bulbs without soil or water. This makes them valuable novelty gifts for friends and most fascinating for shut-ins to watch develop.

The flat based, clean bulbs may be set on a table, on the window sill or in a container where they will start flowering. As the blooms fade and drop, cut them off and others will follow in quick succession.

In the dark the flowers and tubes come an attractive pure white. On the window sill with plenty of light they have their normal color—less color appearing the farther the bulbs are from the light. The skins of the bulbs are dry and tough which often must be broken to allow the buds to appear.

After flowering in the house the spent bulbs may be planted in the garden. Follow the directions for outside planting. Often they will recover after a year of rest and start flowering out-of-doors.

For late orders we hold stock of bulbs in cool storage. After October 1st, bulbs should be grown in pots and not flowered from the dry bulb.

**Speciosum** (1). Handsome, large, bowl-shaped flowers hoisted on tall slender tubes. The color, which hints of raspberries, is bright rosy-carmine. Very floriferous as well as fragrant and with petals of great substance. One of the earliest to flower. Unlike other varieties, Speciosum does not have a flat base and must be held in a container when used for indoor flowering. 25c each, 4 bulbs 90c, \$2.50 doz.

Colchicums are charming and interesting plants, hardy, persistent and of easy culture.

These great crocus-like flowers carpet the ground in September and October without foliage and at a time when the herbaceous beds begin to lose their freshness.

To the casual eye they look like long tubed crocuses, but Colchicums are of the lily family and have six stamens while crocuses have but three.

They are most effective when grown in masses and with ground covers of low growing perennials such as Arabis, Sedums and Phlox Subulata.

They may be placed between taller growing plants in the rock garden, in flower borders and in the wild garden.

In very warm climates partial shade is preferable, otherwise they succeed best in an open sunny border.

The blossoms seem fragile but are quite tough and last exceedingly well when cut for the house. In the garden the individual flowers last about three days, depending on the weather, being able to stand light frosty mornings better than hot sunny days. Five to 16 blooms come in succession from single bulbs, giving a long flowering period.

In congenial surroundings Colchicums will increase so that every few years replanting is desirable. They should be lifted when the foliage dies down, separated and replanted.

Plant Colchicums as soon as the bulbs can be obtained and are received. Planted in August or September, the bulbs will bloom almost immediately, but are at their best when well established. Deep, well enriched, good loamy soil is preferred with tip of the long bulb placed 1 to 2 inches under the surface. If no ground cover is planted give a light mulch over winter. As the bulbs and foliage are distasteful to animals, mice, moles and rabbits do not bother them.

## Colchicum Collection VIII.

Our Selection of Colchicums, labeled and postpaid.

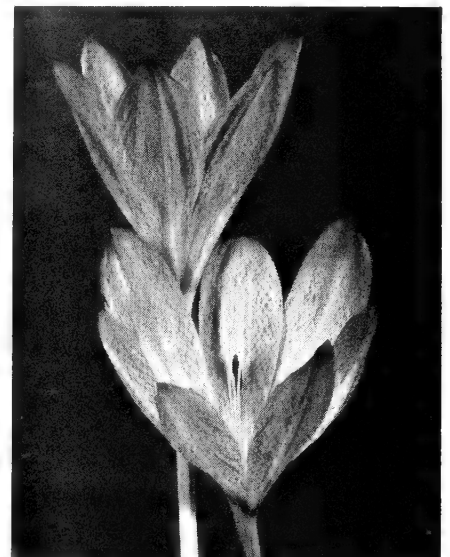
1 each of 4 kinds, 4 bulbs.....	\$1.00
2 each of 4 kinds, 8 bulbs.....	1.80
5 each of 4 kinds, 20 bulbs.....	4.50
10 each of 4 kinds, 40 bulbs.....	8.50

**Autumnale** (3) (Illustrated) is the commonest and best known of the Colchicums. Exceedingly free flowering, and while the soft rose-lilac blooms are not as large as other varieties, the bulbs send up flower after flower in seemingly endless succession. One of the best for naturalizing. 25c each, 4 bulbs 90c, \$2.50 a dozen.

AUTUMNALE



BORNMULLERI



BYZANTINUM

**Bornmulleri** (1). An early variety with immense vase-like flowers of rich rose-lilac with large pure white center. On first opening the flower is very pale, almost white, but increases and deepens with maturity. It is very striking and attractive, and has a light spring-like fragrance. 30c each, 4 bulbs \$1.10, \$3.00 per doz.

**Byzantinum** (2) (Autumnale Major). Very beautiful soft rose-colored star-shaped flowers, perfect in form, produced in great profusion. 30c each, 4 bulbs \$1.10, \$3.00 doz.

**Giganteum** (3). A grand species bearing immense expanded flowers of beautiful soft rose with large white throat, remarkably handsome, giving the scent of honey. 40c each, 3 bulbs \$1.10, \$4.00 doz.

**Lilac Wonder** (3). A fine new hybrid, large flowered Colchicum of rich rosy-carmine. A very striking variety of great merit. The long white tube makes it excellent for cutting. First Class Certificate, Haarlem. One of the best and highly recommended. 50c each, 3 bulbs \$1.35, \$5.00 doz.

**Violet Queen** (3). Another fine new hybrid of darkest color, deep purplish-violet with white center. An extra fine variety. First Class Certificate, Haarlem. 50c each, 3 bulbs \$1.35, \$5.00 doz.

**Conquest** (3). One of the finest new hybrids. Award of Merit, Haarlem. Large flower on long tubes is dark violet, of good substance and free flowering. 60c each, 3 bulbs \$1.55, \$6.00 doz.

**Mixed, Unnamed.** 15c each, 4 bulbs 55c, \$1.50 doz.



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# EARLY FLOWERING BULBS

## RANUNCULUS

Nothing produces a brighter or more gorgeous effect in May and June than beds of Ranunculus, while the flowers are much prized for cutting. They thrive in any ordinary garden soil but should have protection in spring from cold winds. In the South they may be planted from September to February, the earlier planting, however, will produce a more sturdy growth and a greater number of flowers over a longer blooming period. In the North, where the winters are cold, Ranunculus should be planted outdoors in April and May. Order them in the fall and store over winter under ordinary living-room conditions—dry and warm. After flowering, take up the tubers and store dry until the following spring.

Plant with the claws downward; set 3 to 4 inches apart, pressing them firmly into the soil; keep the crown 2 inches under the surface of the soil, covering them first with sand and then with soil.

**Giant French Hybrids.** Flowers are unsurpassed in range of brilliant and desirable colors and come a very large percent double.

	Doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
Mammoth .....	\$ .75	\$5.00	\$45.00
Extra Large .....	.60	4.00	35.00
Large .....	.45	3.00	25.00

## ANEMONE

With their bright and varied colors Anemones make a splendid showing during the spring and should be planted extensively. They are also excellent as cut flowers and make pleasing bouquets. In the South they may be planted during the fall and winter, but in the North spring planting is recommended. However, order the bulbs from us in the fall and store under ordinary living-room conditions until time to plant. A well drained location with raised beds is preferred. Set the bulbs 5 to 6 inches apart and 2 to 3 inches deep with the pointed ends downward. In cold sections cover in winter with strawy manure.

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BUTTERFLY OR  
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ANEMONES DE CAEN



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# EARLY FLOWERING BULBS

## RANUNCULUS

Nothing produces a brighter or more gorgeous effect in May and June than beds of Ranunculus, while the flowers are much prized for cutting. They thrive in any ordinary garden soil but should have protection in spring from cold winds. In the South they may be planted from September to February, the earlier planting, however, will produce a more sturdy growth and a greater number of flowers over a longer blooming period. In the North, where the winters are cold, Ranunculus should be planted outdoors in April and May. Order them in the fall and store over winter under ordinary living-room conditions—dry and warm. After flowering, take up the tubers and store dry until the following spring.

Plant with the claws downward; set 3 to 4 inches apart, pressing them firmly into the soil; keep the crown 2 inches under the surface of the soil, covering them first with sand and then with soil.

**Giant French Hybrids.** Flowers are unsurpassed in range of brilliant and desirable colors and come a very large percent double.

	Doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
Mammoth .....	\$ .75	\$5.00	\$45.00
Extra Large .....	.60	4.00	35.00
Large .....	.45	3.00	25.00

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ANEMONES DE CAEN





SNOWFLAKE



ORNITHOGALUM NUTANS (SILVER STARS)

SCILLA CAMPANULATA (BELOW)



## Scilla Campanulata (Wood Hyacinth)

(See Illustration)

All the varieties of Scilla Campanulata are splendid for naturalizing because they will flower under trees and in shady places. They are effective in groups among the shrubbery or in the flower border. The white are particularly lovely in half shaded borders among ferns.

Plant from September to November and 6 inches deep to obtain fine flower spikes. Occasionally top dress with bone meal or wood ashes. May flowering.

**Blue Queen.** Large bright blue. Height 14 inches.

**Rose Queen.** Soft lilac-rose Height 12 inches.

**Alba.** Pure white. Height 12 inches.

One variety only, 60c doz., \$4.50 per 100.

Twelve bulbs, 4 each of 3 varieties, 70c, 24 bulbs, 8 each of 3 varieties, \$1.35.

**Blue King.** The latest of the Campanulatas to flower. Fine deep blue, erect flowers. 3 bulbs 25c, 70c doz., \$5.00 per 100.

**Excelsior.** A tall vigorous grower with sturdy stems. The flower spikes are large and the individual flowers very large and a delightful shade of deep lavender blue. This is the finest of the Scilla Campanulatas. A group of these in the border, with the sun on them, makes a brilliant show. Later flowering. 3 bulbs 25c, 70c doz., \$5.00 per 100.

## Muscari (Grape Hyacinths)

(See Illustration)

A charming and exceedingly popular spring flower, requiring no special culture or soil. Perfectly hardy and increasing rapidly by offsets. They look beautiful naturalized in the rock garden, while as edgings and massed in the flower border they produce a lovely effect and continue a long time in bloom.

**Heavenly Blue.** Produces freely well-furnished spikes of little globular bells—grape-like clusters closely set of the brightest and richest shade of gentian-blue imaginable. The flowers when grown in masses produce a wonderful effect, and fill the garden with a lovely clove-carnation scent. Valuable for cutting. Height 8 in. Plant 3 to 4 in. deep. 60c doz., \$4.00 per 100, \$35.00 per 1000.

**Alba.** Very pretty with its spikes of pure white bells, looking not unlike a wedge of seed pearls. Very pretty planted with Heavenly Blue. Height 6 in. Plant 3 to 4 in. deep. 75c doz., \$5.50 per 100, \$50.00 per 1000.

SCILLA SIBIRICA



## Leucojum, Snowflake (Leucojum Aestivum)

(See Illustration)

A very handsome, hardy and robust plant producing in May elegant spikes of long stemmed flowers highly prized for vases. The stems 14 to 18 inches high are topped by 4 to 8 handsome, white, drooping, bell-like flowers having a small dot of green on the edge of each petal. The bulbs look like narcissus, require similar culture, and may be left undisturbed for years. Plant in September to November, 3 to 4 inches deep, measuring from the shoulder of the bulbs. Prefers a partly shaded position in moist loamy soil well drained in winter. Lovely in fern borders or in groups in the shrubbery. 6 bulbs 50c, 85c doz., \$6.00 per 100.

## Ornithogalum

(See Illustration)

**Nutans (Silver Stars).** Produces in April to May elegant spikes of beautiful silvery grey flowers, shaded outside pale sea green and covered with a silken sheen that gives them a most uncommon effect. The sturdy flower stalk grows about a foot high, strung with a dozen pendant flaring bells of large size. The large three-cornered seed pods that follow the blossoms up the stem are attractive and ornate. They are valuable as cut flowers and arrange well with tulips. Wherever shown they have created much admiration and demand. Thrives in dense shade or open border, naturalizes well, hardy, easy to grow and increases rapidly. A valuable addition to the shaded border. Plant in the fall 3 to 4 inches deep. 60c doz., \$4.00 per 100, \$35.00 per 1000.

## Scilla Italica

This rare Scilla is seldom found in catalogs but we have been growing it for a number of years and are glad to make this lovely flower available. It is splendid for the rock garden or flower border.

The leaves are few in number and much shorter than the flower stem which rises to a height of 10 to 12 inches, carrying a large number of the daintiest little bells of pale blue. Plant 3 to 4 inches deep in any good well drained garden soil. Hardy. **Blue or White.** One variety only, 60c doz., \$4.50 per 100, \$40.00 per 1000.

## Scilla Sibirica

(See Illustration)

They make the really first brilliant display of the year. Each bulb produces from one to six flower stems 3 to 4 inches tall, each stem carrying from one to three or more open bell-like flowers. Plant 3 to 4 inches deep. **Blue or White.** One variety only, 75c doz., \$5.50 per 100, \$50.00 per 1000.

CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE



## Dog's-Tooth Violets

(*Erythronium*)

(See Illustration)

There is no prettier sight in spring than a mass of Dog's-tooth Violets, with their prettily variegated foliage and graceful Cyclamen-like flowers. The colors are in delicate tints of white, pink, cream, lavender, bright yellow and even deepest rose. They are hardy in the coldest parts of the United States. They prefer partial shade and a moist but well drained situation. They will thrive in a great variety of soils, being at their best in a loose, gritty soil rich in very old leaf mold. Four to 6 inches is the usual height but will grow up to 18 inches under most favorable conditions. Plant in numbers sufficient to cover the ground, 2 inches apart will give room enough. Set the bulbs upright with 2 to 3 inches of soil covering the tips. Plant them as soon as they are received in moist soil. When the bulbs are out of the ground they suffer from over-drying.

**Mixed.** 3 bulbs for 30c, 75c doz., \$5.00 per 100.

## Chionodoxa (Glory of the Snow)

(See illustration)

The Chionodoxa is one of the loveliest spring flowers, and when established, its sheets of blue in very early spring are a great attraction. It blooms at the time of the Crocuses, producing dwarf flower spikes, bearing 12 to 15 flowers of a sky blue with a pure white heart, creating a lovely effect. It should be used in borders as edgings, also massed on rockwork or in the shrubbery. Chionodoxa may be placed in a sunny location or in half shade where they can remain undisturbed for years. They will seed themselves, forming natural colonies. Plant September to November, 3 to 4 inches deep, and for best effect about 18 bulbs to the square foot.

**Luciliae.** Flowers brilliant blue, with clear snow-white centers. Height 4 inches. 60c doz., \$4.50 per 100, \$40.00 per 1000.

**Sardensis.** True gentian blue. Height 4". 70c doz., \$5.00 per 100, \$45.00 per 1000.

## Trillium

(See illustration)

Trilliums are very attractive plants of the Lily family. They are among the choicest of all early spring plants and should be more common in gardens. Planted on the north side of the house or in any shady location, with ferns for a background or under taller growing shrubbery, they are ideal. They thrive in woods mold and delight in rich, deep, rather moist soil in partial shade. Plant them deep, 5 to 6 inches, and 8 to 10 inches apart. Leave them undisturbed for years and they will multiply into splendid clumps having many flowers.

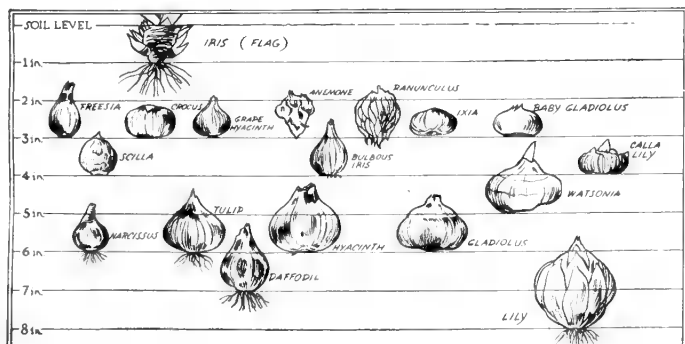
**Grandiflorum** is a handsome species growing a foot or more high and having pure white flowers with wavy petals that change to rosy pink as they fade. This variety is later than Ovatum, starting to flower before that variety has faded. One variety only, 3 bulbs for 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$8.00 per 100.

**Ovatum.** The Pacific Coast representative of Grandiflorum. It is taller and more robust growing with larger flowers, and is the earliest to flower. Flowers open pure white, gradually tinge pink and finally become deep wine-purple. The change in color is an added charm. One variety only, 3 bulbs for 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$8.00 per 100.

**Snow Queen** differs from other Trilliums. The large pure white petals spring directly upwards from the whorl of leaves without the usual supporting slender stem. The flowers are large with the petals 3½ inches long. It is a strong growing Trillium, a foot or more in height with broad long leaves. You will like Snow Queen. One variety only, 3 bulbs for 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$8.00 per 100.

**Sessile Rubrum** is of the Snow Queen type with large flowers of rich maroon-red. The color makes it distinctive and unusual. It is strong, vigorous and handsome. Your friends will be surprised to find trilliums of this color in your garden. Ht. 12". One variety only, 3 bulbs for 30c, \$1.00 doz., \$8.00 per 100.

**Trilliums for naturalizing, unnamed.** \$3.50 per 50, \$6.50 per 100.



MUSCARI, HEAVENLY BLUE



TRILLIUM OVATUM



DOG'S-TOOTH  
VIOLETS



# English Iris Garden Orchids

Choice Mixed Colors, 6 bulbs 35c, 60c doz.,  
\$4.00 per 100, postpaid.

These magnificent bulbous Irises are larger in all their parts than the Dutch and Spanish. Larger flowers, broader of leaf, altogether more sturdy in appearance and very showy.

The leaves do not make their appearance until spring, and the large handsome flowers come during the latter part of June and early July, thus succeeding the Bearded, Dutch and Spanish. They are the latest of the bulbous Iris to bloom and as cut flowers take first place. The colors are more beautiful when cut just as the bud starts to unfurl and allowed to open in the dark in water.

English Iris thrive in any good garden soil but prefer a moist loam rich in humus. Give full sun, except in hot climates, where partial shade will be appreciated, with plenty of moisture during the spring months while growing. They are quite hardy and successfully grown in cold climates.

The earlier the planting after the beginning of September the better. Place the bulbs at least 3 inches deep, and 8 to 10 inches apart, measuring from the shoulder of the bulb. English Iris bulbs do not require annual lifting, but may be left in the ground until the clump becomes crowded.

This Iris has been scarce, but we have developed the finest stock in the United States and are offering the mixed colors at attractive prices that they may be more generally grown.

The following named varieties are all strikingly beautiful and the most distinctive English Iris in cultivation.

**Duke of Clarence.** Pale blue.

**King of the Blue.** Brilliant dark blue.

**Mont Blanc.** Large handsome flowers of pure white.

**Perle des Jardine** (See illustration). Beautiful silvery pearl.

The above four varieties, one variety only—20c each, 3 bulbs 50c, 6 bulbs 90c, \$1.75 doz., postpaid.

**King Edward** (See illustration). Velvety maroon; scarce. 50c each, 3 bulbs \$1.40, postpaid.



SUNSET

KING EDWARD

PERLE DES JARDINE

**SUNSET** (See illustration) is one of the most charming of English Iris. It has the color of Cattleya Orchids—a delicate shade of rosy tinted lilac. Groups of 7 to 9 bulbs along the border are most attractive and add a delightful touch of color. Sunset is a clean, strong growing Iris reaching a height of 19 inches, and is offered at these most attractive prices:

POSTPAID	
3 bulbs.....30c	12 bulbs.....\$1.00
6 bulbs.....55c	100 bulbs..... 7.00

## ENGLISH IRIS COLLECTION IX.

King of Blue.	Mont Blanc.	Perle des Jardine.	Sunset.
Named, labeled—postpaid.			
3 each, 4 varieties (12 bulbs) ..\$1.75	5 each, 4 varieties (24 bulbs) ..\$3.20		

San Francisco, Calif., March 13, 1942.

The English Iris bought from you several months ago all came up 100 per cent.

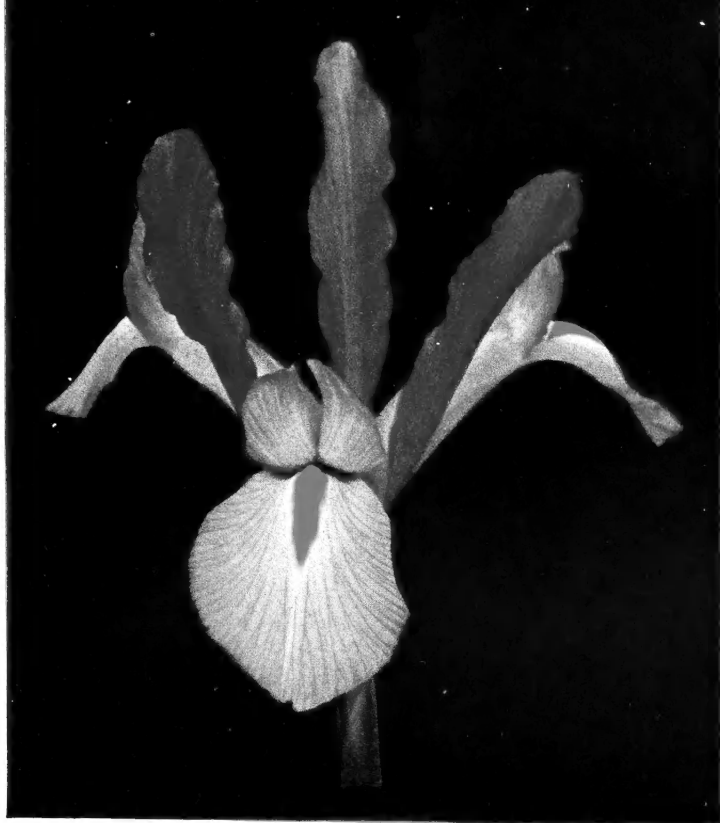
L. C. Hamly.

## Ixiolirion

**SIBERIAN BLUEBELL** (Ixiolirion Pallasi). An elegant and very showy hardy bulbous plant, bearing umbels of beautiful deep blue or violet, tubular, six-lobed flowers in May and June. It thrives in any good deep light soil and a fairly open sunny situation. Height 10 to 12". Very showy in borders and prized for cutting. 6 bulbs 55c, \$1.00 doz., \$7.00 per 100, \$65.00 per 1,000.

SIBERIAN BLUEBELLS  
(IXIOLIRION)





IMPERATOR (DUTCH)

**YOUR CHOICE** from the first 9 varieties (Imperator to Mixed Colors inclusive) listed below. One variety only, postpaid—

12 bulbs ..... \$ .50  
25 bulbs ..... 1.00  
100 bulbs ..... 3.50

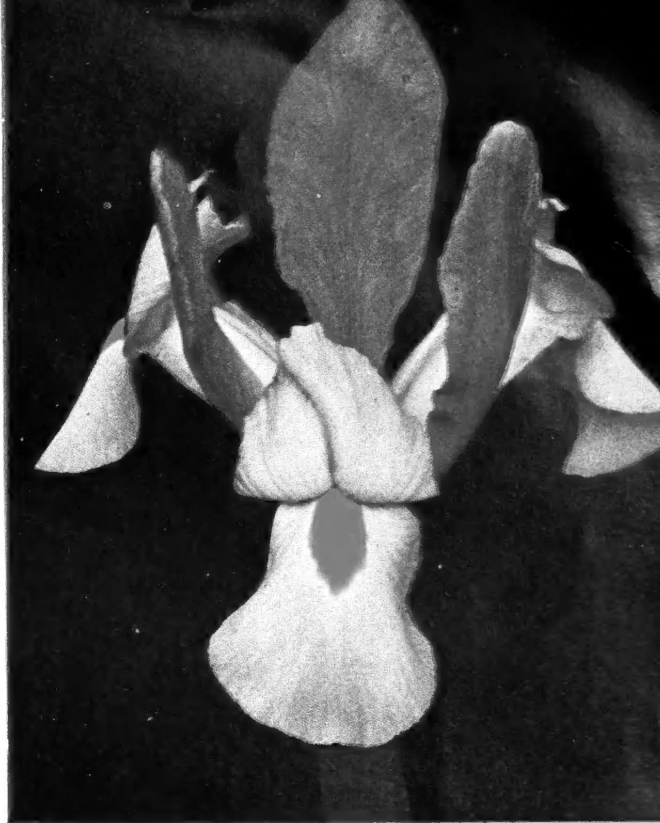
OR

30 bulbs, 6 each  
of 5 varieties..... \$1.25  
60 bulbs, 12 each  
of 5 varieties..... 2.40  
125 bulbs, 25 each  
of 5 varieties..... 4.75  
Postpaid.

Cokato, Minn.  
Sept. 24, 1941.

*Wish to commend you on your bulbs as those that we had put in gave us very nice blooms and we enjoyed them very much.*

Mrs. Carl Peterson.



VIOLET QUEEN (DUTCH)

## DUTCH AND SPANISH IRIS

These two bulbous Irises are very much alike in form and general habits as well as requirements. The Dutch are earlier and have flowers slightly larger. The Spanish are later and have taller and more slender stems. They are among the prettiest of all the spring flowers for cutting and garden decoration and are orchid-like in their beauty of form and color. They are easily grown and will do well in full sun or partial shade.

Plant 3 to 4 inches deep, and 6 to 8 inches apart, measuring from the shoulder of the bulb, in any rich light soil that has good winter drainage. They make an early start, in mild climates producing leaves which are persistent during the winter. In colder parts provide a mulch. They flower from early May into June. If you have never grown bulbous Iris be sure to include some of these in your order.

The numbers in brackets indicate the relative time of flowering.

**Imperator** (8) (Dutch) (See illustration). The finest and most popular Dutch Iris. Very large and beautiful flowers of uniform rich dark blue. Strong grower and highly recommended. Height 27".

**Blue Horizon** (6) (Dutch). This is a lovely light blue Iris of large size, with good stem and foliage. The very broad and strong falls are soft sky-blue with narrow orange stripe. The standards are light violet-blue. Height 27". Award of Merit, also First Class Certificate.

**YOUR CHOICE** from the four varieties of Dutch and Spanish Iris listed below. One variety only, postpaid—3 bulbs 30c, 12 bulbs \$1.00, 25 bulbs \$1.75, 100 bulbs \$6.00.

**Cajanus** (12) (Spanish). A tall late growing variety with very large, handsome flowers of brilliant yellow. Tall strong wiry stems. Height 30".

**Therese Schwartz** (6) (Dutch). Standards pale cornflower blue, falls pure white, with narrow orange stripe, excellent cut flower variety. Height 24". F. C. C.

**Violet Queen** (4) (Dutch) (See illustration). This unusual variety is outstanding and distinctive in color. Both standards and falls are uniform, light bluish-violet. A large flower of good proportions. Height 20". Award of Merit.

**White Excelsior** (3) (Dutch). A very fine uniform pure white iris, of good form and substance. Falls very broad. It is earlier than the white iris D. Haring. Height 22". First Class Certificate.

**A. Bloemaard** (1½) (Dutch). Standard dark purplish blue, falls lighter blue. Very large flower and early. Height 20". Award of Merit.

**Early Snow** (1½) (Dutch). Standards and falls are pure white with the usual narrow yellow stripe in the falls. While it is not quite as large a flower as White Excelsior, it is taller and earlier. Height 26". A. M., Haarlem.

**Jacob de Wit** (4) (Dutch). Early iris of remarkable substance. Standards very dark blue, falls dark blue. Height 22". Award of Merit, also First Class Certificate.

**J. W. de Wilde** (4) (Dutch). A fine large deep yellow iris. It is a little later than Yellow Queen, but follows it very closely.

**Yellow Queen** (3) (Dutch) (See illustration). The best early yellow iris. Standards and falls uniform bright golden yellow, very attractive. Height 28". Award of Merit and F. C. C.

**Wedgewood** (1) (Tingitana). A very early, beautiful and tender iris which can be grown out of doors only in the South and along the western edge of the Pacific Coast. Standards are of pale wedgewood-blue with rather deeper colored falls. Height 24". First Class Certificate, Haarlem.

**Mixed Colors.** Made up special from many beautiful varieties.

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YELLOW QUEEN (DUTCH)







L. REGALE

L. PARDALINUM (BELOW)



# Lilies

## ADD LASTING BEAUTY TO YOUR LILY GARDEN

Since the introduction of *Lilium Regale*, lilies have become increasingly popular. Now everyone wants some of these stately, beautiful fragrant flowers in their garden. We have priced them moderately so you may have them, too. Remember, once established, they prefer to be left undisturbed.

The lilies offered are all hardy and of easy culture and will do well in almost every section of the United States. They are Gardenville grown and will be sent in time for planting this fall.

An ideal soil for lilies and for all bulbs which remain in the garden over winter, is one which is sufficiently porous to permit fast drainage of winter water but rich enough in humus to retain moisture for the plants during the summer. The soil should be deep and well tilled as lilies are planted deep and the roots feed deep. Heavy soils may be improved by liberal additions of sand and leafmold. Wherever possible avoid the use of manures in fertilizing lilies. A mulch of leafmold from deciduous trees will retain moisture and provide just the right plant food lilies need.

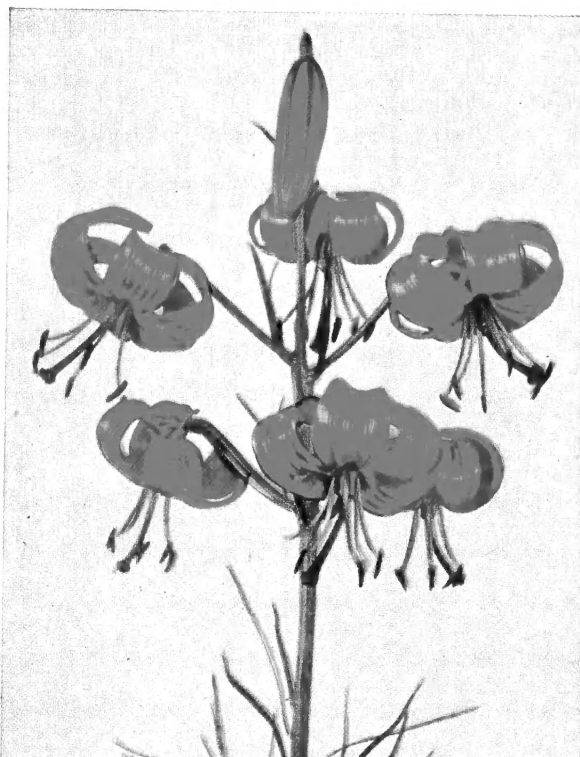
**Elegans Red.** Producing in June and July lovely blossoms of a rich dark coppery crimson, with purple-black spots at base of each petal. Prefers a sunny situation, grows 18 to 24 inches high. Plant 8 to 9 inches deep. This is a most effective and desirable lily to plant. **Flowering, 15c each, 3 for 40c, 10 for \$1.25, \$10.00 per 100. Large, 25c each, 3 for 70c, 10 for \$2.00, \$15.00 per 100.**

**Regale** (See illustration). This beautiful lily is the most popular of all for outdoor planting. It is of easy culture and thrives anywhere. The flowers, of great substance, are waxy white with golden throat and yellow anthers. It is very sweet scented and grows to a height of 3 to 5 feet. Established plants growing 6 to 7 feet with 15 to 20 flowers on a stem. Blooms in July. Bulbs ready October. **Flowering, 3 for 35c, 10 for \$1.00, \$9.00 per 100. Medium, 20c each, 3 for 55c, 10 for \$1.50, \$12.50 per 100. Large, 25c each, 3 for 70c, 10 for \$2.00, \$17.50 per 100.**

**Pardalinum** (See illustration). While this lily is of easy culture and will grow in any good garden soil, it is at its best when growing in a moist situation. It is a stately lily of elegant habit, producing in July, heads of up to 20 large handsome flowers, bright scarlet shading to gold and spotted purple-brown. Height 5 to 6 feet. Bulbs ready October. **Flowering, 15c each, 3 for 40c, 10 for \$1.00. Large, 25c each, 3 for 70c, 10 for \$2.00.**

**Tenuifolium** (See illustration). The dainty Coral Lily is one of the earliest to bloom, coming in late May and early June. It is a small slender Lily not more than 18 inches high with heads of 6 to 8 flowers of deep scarlet with waxy recurved petals. It is a favorite for the rock garden or forward in the border. Bulbs ready September. **Flowering, 3 for 35c, 10 for \$1.10, \$10.00 per 100. Large, 3 for 50c, 10 for \$1.60, \$15.00 per 100.**

L. TENUIFOLIUM



### Lily Collection X

Regale  
Henryii  
Pardalinum  
Tigrinum Splendens  
Tigrinum Flore Pleno  
Elegans, Red

12 bulbs,  
2 each of 6 kinds—  
Flowering \$2.00  
Large \$3.00  
18 bulbs,  
3 each of 6 kinds—  
Flowering \$2.75  
Large \$4.25  
24 bulbs,  
4 each of 6 kinds—  
Flowering \$3.50  
Large \$5.35  
30 bulbs,  
5 each of 6 kinds—  
Flowering \$4.25  
Large \$6.50





L. AURATUM

## Lily Collection XI.

Auratum  
Willmottiae  
Umbellatum  
Formosanum

12 bulbs,

3 each of 4 kinds—

Flowering \$4.75

Large \$6.75

16 bulbs,

4 each of 4 kinds—

Flowering \$6.00

Large \$8.65

20 bulbs,

5 each of 4 kinds—

Flowering \$7.00

Large \$10.25



L. UMBELLATUM

**Auratum** (Gold-banded Lily) (See illustration). The choicest most vigorous and easily grown of the Auratums. Its massive, graceful, fragrant flowers of delicate ivory-white have a central band of gold on each of its six petals which are lightly spotted with the same color. The fragrance is very sweet. Height 5 to 7 feet but under favorable conditions plant attains great height. Fast drainage and acid soil rich in leafmold are its principal requirements. Plant 10 inches deep. August flowering. Bulbs ready in November. **Flowering, 60c each, 3 for \$1.75, 10 for \$5.50. Medium, 70c each, 3 for \$2.00, 10 for \$6.50. Large, 80c each, 3 for \$2.30, 10 for \$7.50.**

**Formosanum** (Wilson) (See illustration). A very graceful fragrant lily growing 4 to 5 feet high with grassy foliage and slender stem. Flowers are very long and trumpet shaped, white with a beautiful pale emerald green throat and slight reddish brown shading on exterior of petals. Flowers from August until stopped by frosts. Bulbs ready late October. **Flowering, 30c each, 3 for 85c, 10 for \$2.50. Medium, 45c each, 3 for \$1.30, 10 for \$4.00.**

**Henryii** (See illustration). One of the most beautiful lilies. In August-September it produces handsome branching heads with many flowers of a delightful soft orange-yellow. It is of vigorous growth and easy cultivation. Will do well in sun or partial shade and when established grows to a height of 8 to 10 feet. Bulbs ready October. **Flowering, 20c each, 3 for 55c, 10 for \$1.75. Large, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, 10 for \$3.00.**

**Umbellatum** (See illustration) is of the easiest culture, bears in June large handsome flowers of rich orange shaded red. The large heads often carry up to 15 or more flowers on a stem. Very effective grouped in shrubbery and flower borders. Height 2-2½ ft. Bulbs ready October. **Flowering, 30c each, 3 for 85c, 10 for \$2.50. Large, 50c each, 3 for \$1.45, 10 for \$4.50.**

**Tigrinum Splendens.** Produces large pyramidal heads of bright fiery orange-scarlet flowers with crimson-brown spots. Of easy culture. Flowers August-September at a height of 5 to 6 feet. Bulbs ready October. **Flowering, 3 for 50c, 10 for \$1.50. Medium, 25c each, 3 for 70c, 10 for \$2.00.**

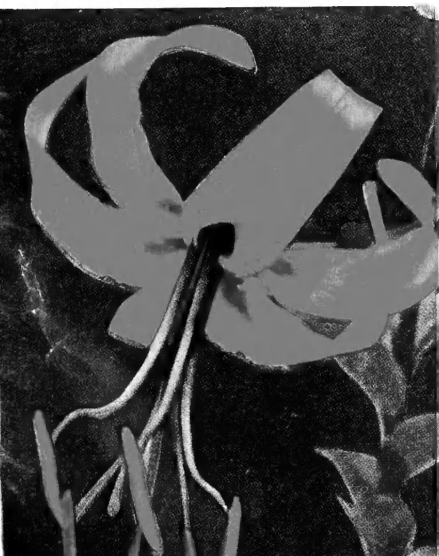
**Tigrinum Flore Pleno.** The double Tiger Lily. Showy and attractive garden plant blooming a little later than single form, Splendens. Color is salmon-orange, somewhat lighter than Splendens. This is the best of all double lilies. Height 3 to 5 feet. Flowers August-September. Bulbs ready October. **Flowering, 25c each, 3 for 70c, 10 for \$2.20, \$20.00 per 100. Large, 30c each, 3 for 85c, 10 for \$2.70, \$25.00 per 100.**

**Willmottiae** (See illustration). One of Mr. Wilson's best introductions from Central China. The foliage is long, slender and deep green. It produces heavy heads of flowers, up to 15 to 20, of a vivid orange-red. recurved petals have numerous brown spots. Needs staking. Flowers July-August. Height 4 to 6 feet. Bulbs ready October. **Medium, 45c each, 3 for \$1.30, 10 for \$4.00. Large, 55c each, 3 for \$1.60, 10 for \$5.00.**

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# Sunset Lily



SUNSET LILY (*L. Pardalinum Giganteum*) is not only of the easiest culture, but is likewise of rare beauty and robust constitution. It has been known to attain a height of twelve feet, with from 20 to 40 flowers to the stalk, and may be depended upon to grow consistently to 5 or 6 feet. Not particular as to soil, it will thrive in full sun or partial shade, and while it appreciates good drainage, a liberal amount of water during the growing season pays good dividends in larger blossoms and greater height.



SUNSET LILY (*L. PARDALINUM GIGANTEUM*)



The SUNSET LILY has few rivals in the group which are generally characterized as RED. No other red lily compares with it in size nor height, and certainly none of them are as easy and simple to grow—it is practically fool-proof. As will be noted in the color illustration, this lily is bright red in color, the central portion being a bright yellow with dark spots. The anthers are long and very pronounced, lending grace and airiness to the flower. The luxuriant foliage is arranged in whorls about the stems, which are straight and strong with no tendency to droop. Plant medium depth, about 6 to 8 inches, in a position where water or seepage will not stand during the winter.



Supplies of this splendid lily have been increased to the extent it can now be obtained at the lowest prices at which it has ever been offered. July flowering. Bulbs ready in October.

**Flowering, 20c each, 3 for 55c, 10 for \$1.50, \$10.00 per 100.**  
**Medium, 25c each, 3 for 70c, 10 for \$2.00, \$15.00 per 100.**  
**Large, 30c each, 3 for 85c, 10 for \$2.50, \$20.00 per 100.**

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